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THREE DIE IN WINNSBORO SHOOTING AFFRAY

Harding Now On Way To Alaska

By LAWRENCE MARTIN
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, June 20.—President Harding leaves Washington today, ready, after a week's intensive preparation, to give to the country, while enroute to Alaska, an accounting for his administration.

While he disclaims any political significance in his tour he has prepared speeches on several of the big issues for 1924, including transportation problems, the wet and dry issue, difficulties of the farmer and taxes and tariff.

Until almost train time, the President continued to work on the first batch of speches he will deliver on his swing through the west.

Beginning at St. Louis tomorrow night with a speech on the world court, he will end his out-bound speaking trip on July 5, at Tacoma, Wash., where he boards the Navy transport Henderson for Alaska.

Once more restored to health, Mrs. Harding appeared equal to a journey which may break all mileage records for presidentinl marathons.

The President and his party will cover over 15,000 miles by train, boat and motor, before returning to the White House by way of the Panama Canal two months hence. Including his side trips, it is believed he will exceed by 15,000 miles swing around the circle made by President Taft in 1911.

There are approximately seventy in the presidential party, traveling on a special train of ten cars. Among them were Secretary of Interior Hubert Work; Mrs. Hoover, secretary to the President and Mrs. George B. Christian, Jr., Speaker Gillette, Admiral Rodman and Brig. Gen and Mrs. C. E. Sawyer.

Secretary of Agriculture Wallace will join the party at Denver, where the President delivers an address on law enforcement next Monday. Secretary of Commerce Hoover joins the party at Tacoma.

Sailing from Tacoma for Alaska on July 5, the President will arrive in Ketchikan, July 7, Wrangell, July 8; Juneau, July 10, and Seward, July 13. At Seward he will board a special train on the Government rail road and spend six days going up the line to Anchorage, Chicaloon, Nenana, and Fairbanks, the Northern terminus. There he will double back, taking the Richardson trail, connecting with the Kennecott railroad.

The party is due to arrive in Cordova on July 19, and to sail the same day for Sitka, arriving there on July 21. The President is scheduled to speak in Vancouver, B. C., July 26, and the next day in Seattle. On his trip down the Pacific coast he will speak in Portland, July 28; San Francisco, July 31; Los Angeles, Aug. 1, and San Diego, on Aug. 4. Side trips will be made to Yosemite Park and Catalina Islands.

New C. of C. Directors Hold Meeting Tuesday

JESSICA BROWN MAY WED IN CANADA.

This is the latest photograph of beautiful Jessica Brown, New York dancer, who is engaged to marry the youthful Scottish Earl of Northesk, formerly an officer in the Coldstream Guards. The Earl is in America for the wedding, but the couple has been refused a marriage license in New York, following the declaration of Cyril de Witt Reinhard, her former husband, that her divorce is not legal. It is now reported they will go to Canada for the wedding.

Flow From Twelve Mt. Etna Craters Is Now Decreasing

CATANIA, Sicily, June 20.—The destructive flood of molten lava flowing from twelve craters of Etna decreased today.

Two more tiny townships were completely seared from the face of the earth by fiery streams during the night and the railroad station at Castiglione was submerged, but hopes were entertained that more important cities might be spared.

The town of Giarre, which had 20,000 inhabitants, has been completely evacuated only caribiniers and military remaining.

Unless fresh explosions and eruptions occur, however, it is believed the worst may be over. The lava is forming a crust and advancing more and more slowly.

Destruction of the little village of Piedemonte began this morning. Houses went down in flames as white hot masses, now resembling a glacier, crept towards them.

Inhabitants of Cerro, witnessing the destruction of Piedemonte, dug a number of deep trenches, in hopes of deflecting the course of lava stream that bore down on their homes.

The molten stream came on, filled the trenches, rolled up over them and engulfed the town.

Lingra Glossa seems for the moment to have been spared. While its inhabitants were parading with the statue of St. Egidius, credited with having diverted the lava from the city. A party from Castiglione attacked them, trying to seize the saint for use in saving the latter town. Soldiers intervened and stopped the fight.

Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Beck have returned from their pilgrimage with Karem Temple, attending the big Shrine meeting in Washington.

There will be a called meeting of Springfield Lodge, A. F. and A. M. tonight at 8 o'clock for degree work. Visitors are always welcome.—M. B. Webb, W. M.

WEATHER OR NO.

Tonight and Thursday partly cloudy.

Smiling Girl Bandit Proves To Be A Man

CHICAGO, June 20.—"Mrs. Francis Thompson," 32, identified as the "smiling, blue-eyed girl bandit," who killed Richard C. Tesmer, was unmasked as a man by physicians today.

Dr. David Jones, city physician and Dr. Clara Sieppel, of morals court, made the examination, disclosing one of the strangest cases of masculine and feminine personalities ever brought before Chicago police.

"Mrs. Thompson" was arrested yesterday and identified by Mrs. Richard Tesmer, as the "girl" who killed the latter's husband during a robbery in the rear of the Tesmer "Gold Coast" home. She was dressed in feminine attire and claimed to police to be sexually abnormal.

The prisoner now on police records as Fred C. Thompson, has been the legal "wife" of Frank Thompson, also known as Frank Carrick, for thirteen years, she and Thompson, also held, told police.

For hours after the arrest and identification, "Mrs. Thompson" convinced police, physicians and newspaper men that he was a woman, with an abnormal feminine and masculine nature. Preparations were made to take "her" to the woman's detention when Drs. Jones and Sieppel made the discovery of sex and police placed the prisoner in the men's ward at the Hyde Park station.

OIL

Large numbers today are visiting the Rosson well, Northwest of town about seven miles. Bailing was begun early this morning and continued without interruption for the next two hours. It was soon apparent that water was encroaching almost as rapidly as the bailer could bring it out.

Mr. Williams stated that he felt certain that he had a commercial producer if this water could be shut off. He stated that he next thing would be an attempt to plug the water back. In case these efforts fail, a new test will be drilled offsetting the present hole to the Southwest, where a derrick is already up.

A rotary will be used in going down to the sands which will be tested which will be around 1800 feet.

The casing in the original hole was set to a depth of 1726 feet.

At Powell new derricks are looming up daily, while material for the development of the field is being rushed out of here by truck and train in a continuous stream.

Mildred, on the T. & B. V., is the scene of much activity, where there is considerable building. Considerable field equipment is being loaded at that point.

Type of Road Decided On By Court

The newly elected, or rather the re-elected, Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce began their management of the affairs of the organization by meeting at the office of the Chamber of Commerce in the City Hall, Tuesday afternoon at 4 p .m. with the following present:

Col. A. E. Humphreys, chairman of the Advisory Board.
John H. Sweatt, President.
L. S. Patterson, Vice-president
A. H. Eubanks, Vice-president
J. K. Hughes
Blake Smith
J. W. Prickett
R. F. Babb
Cox Brodnax
John Phillips
Allen L. Hatch
Benton Jones
Gene Sinclair
Phil Karner
Ben F. Stollenwerck, Secretary.
H. L. Hall, Assistant Secretary.

The first matter to come up for consideration was a 4th of July celebration and it was decided that the Secretary be instructed to circulate a closing up agreement in order that employees of stores and business houses might celebrate the Fourth as they see fit, and in accordance with this instruction, a closing up agreement will be circulated within the next few days, probably the latter part of the present week.

It appears that there are going to be several entertainments at nearby places and in one instance the Chamber of Commerce has been asked not to have a counter attraction. More definite announcements with reference to this will be made later.

The Mexia base ball club will play a double header at Corsicana on July 4th, and it is understood that a movement is already on foot to have a special train for that day.

The financial affairs of the organization were brought up for discussion. The following committee, which will constitute the regular financial committee, was appointed to consider these matters as well as the employment of the office force, and instructed to meet Wednesday morning:

Blake Smith, Chairman.
J. K. Hughes
J. W. McLendon
N. Hollingsworth
L. S. Patterson

Col. Humphreys reported that he had just returned from Groesbeck where the County Commissioners and County Judge had agreed on the type of road they would favor building from a connection with Belknap street extending four miles along the X-All highway. He said that they had agreed on a water bound, rock base 18 feet wide, 6 inches thick, covered with 1½ to 2 inches of

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Report Bankrupt's Wife Received $1,500,000

Louise Groody, musical comedy dancer and wife of Frank W. McGee, self-confessed bankrupt bucket-shop operator, of E. M. Fuller & Company, which failed in New York for $6,000,000, is in Paris. The authorities are anxious to question her regarding the report that $1,500,000 of the Fuller & Company assets were transferred to her name shortly before the failure.

FIRST PHOTOGRAPH OF WINNER OF ENGLISH DERBY.

Papyrus, owned by Barney Irish, is shown winning the world-famous English Derby at Epsom Downs, in the presence of a record-breaking crowd. The horse was ridden by Jockey Steve Donoghue, this being the third time this rider has piloted a winner in this classic race.

Bergdoll's Brother Arrested Again Upon Serving 3 Year Term

LEAVENWORTH, Kans., June 20.—Erwin Bergdoll, brother of Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, was reasarstde and charged with conspiracy to evade the draft as he stepped from the federal prison this afternoon. He has served three years for evading the draft. New warrants were served immediately. He is to be arraigned in Kansas City.

Groesbeck Group Sees Davidson As Governor In 1924

New Club Declares Faith in 'Native Son' by Message

A "Lynch Davidson for Governor" club has been organized by the citizens of Groesbeck, Texas, according to a report received Saturday by Mr. Davidson at Houston. The report in part was as follows:

"Attesting their faith in a native son, practically every person in Groesbeck has been enrolled in the Lynch Davidson for Governor club which was organized in this city this week. It has not been learned definitely that Mr. Davidson will be a candidate for governor next year, but his many friends here wished to show their appreciation for his services as lieutenand governor and at the same time express a desire to see him elected chief executive of this great State. Which position they fell he is capable to fill with credit to the people of the State."

Mr. Davidson's infancy and youth were spent in Limestone county, at and around Groesbeck, though he has not lived there for 25 years. His first campaign speech for lieutenant governor was made there. If he enters the race for governor next year he will likely again deliver his initial campaign address at Groesbeck.

The former lieutenant governor was not aware of the organization of the Groesbeck club until informed of its completion by the secretary of the Groesbeck Chamber of Commerce.

"You may not quite understand my feelings in the matter," he wrote in response, "but I think this voluntary act on the part of my old friends has stirred my emotions more than any single thing that has ever happened to me in my career of ups and downs It is a tribute from those I love, living in the land of my nativity."

No public announcement of his candidacy for governor has been made, although Mr. Davidson stated Saturday that thousands of friends over the State have urged him to make the race. It is generally anticipated that he wil do so, basing his candidacy upon the issue of a business administration.

Fred H. McJunkin, the genial and popular manager of the Southland hotel in Dallas, was a visitor in Mexia Tuesday and paid the News office a pop call.

Iowa Senator Is Pleased To See Interest In Farms

By JOHN GRAUDENZ
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

MOSCOW, June 20. — Senator Smith Brookhart of Iowa, who has been touring part of this country's farm domains is much impressed by the attention which the Russian government is paying to the development of agriculture.

The Senator also visited Kiev and voiced admiration for the children's colony, known as Lenin Town, which has been established there. He said it was a model for both Europe and America.

The friendly relations which existed between the peasants and the Government were commented on by Brookhart.

Completing his Russian trip with a tour through Ukrainian wheat regions, Senator Brookhart sailed from Odessa.

MORE JURYMEN NEEDED AT TOM ROSS TRIAL

LUBBOCK, Texas, June 20.—Seven more jurymen are needed to fill the panel for the trial of Tom Ross, charged with the murder of Dave Allison. Selection is proceeding without hitch and few are present at the questioning of veniremen, many of whom were excused on ground of illness or having formed an opinion as to guilt or innocence.

No Cause For Trouble Is Known

Winnsboro, Texas, June 20.—Three persons are dead as the result of a shooting at the home of W. K. Bradford, 50, this morning.

The dead are Bradford, C. C. Chapman, son-in-law, and Bradford's daughter, Mrs. C. C. Chapman. It is believed that Bradford shot and killed the two and then committed suicide, using a shot gun and a pistol. Mrs. Bradford, downstairs, heard the shots and rushing up stairs found the bodies in the bed room. Champan and wife lived with the Bradfords. Chapman was the son of State Banking Commissioner J. L. Chapman. Bradford is said to have been in ill health. No cause for the tragedy is known, unless financial troubles of Chapman caused Bradford to worry.

COCO COLA KING MARRIES TODAY

ATLANTA, Ga., June 20.—Asa G. Candler, Sr., multi-millionaire, founder of the Coca Cola company, was married to Mrs. May Little Ragin, a widow and mother of two children.

FIVE DIE IN WAVE OF HEAT IN "CHI"

CHICAGO, June 20.—Five more deaths were caused by the heat wave, bringing the total to thirteen in the last three days, it was reported over night. Hot weather, with the mercury around 90, is prevalent over most of the middle west.

Todd's Sentence Changed To Pen From The Noose

DALLAS, June 20.—Wayne Todd, 18, who was to have been executed Thursday in connection with the death of James McNeal in September, 1921, will be taken from the jail here to the State penitentiary today or tomorrow. Todd's sentence was cummuted to life imprisonment by GGovernor Neff late yesterday.

Todd was convicted of murder along with two companions, Forrest Dawson and Cecil Jensen, but was the only one of the trio to receive the death sentence.

In announcing the commutation of the sentence, Governor Neff declared Todd should not be punished more than the other two.

"I am very grateful to Governor Neff", were Todd's first words on being informed of the governor's action.

The three boys hired McNeal, a taxi driver, to drive them to a picnic. McNeal was slain and the three were charged with the murder.

Todd denied he struck the blow that killed McNeal.

GIRL MURDERED

TYLER, Texas, June 20.—Investigation is under way into the mysterious death of Miss Gussie Coombs, 17, whose body was found in her bedroom this morning by her parents. Bruises were found on the body. She retired last night in her usual good health. Her parents declared that they heard no sounds of violence. Several witnesses are to be questioned by the grand jury.

Army and Navy May Be Running Booze Runners By Night

By WILLIAM J. LOSH.
United Press Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, June 20.—The Army and Navy may be moving against bootleggers and rum runners before dusk tonight.

The ruling asked of the Department of Justice by President Harding as to whether he has power under the law to train the guns of the country's military and Naval forces against wilful offenders breaching the country's dry barriers may be delivered to the White House today before the President leaves for the West.

The entire force of theDepartment of Justice today was concentrated upon putting the ruling into final form.

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CENTRAL TEXAS PRESS
By N. P. Houx.

WITHOUT COMMENT

Pathetic beyond words are the annual gatherings in reunion, of the veterans of the Civil War—Union and Confederate. Their ranks are thinning fast. Fewer and fewer assemble each succeeding year in encampments. Ere long the last survivors of that great struggle—the last veteran of the blue and the last veteran of the gray—will have been mustered into the ranks of the army eternal. Cherish these gallant men while yet they tarry upon earth.—Bonham News.

A Central East Texas paper chronicles the death of one of its leading citizens, and from the tone of the obituary notice, he was evidently a non-advertiser and had probably refused to loan the editor money. Here's what he said: "He was a man of push, he played marbles when a boy for keeps and cheated all his playmates out of their alleys; he swapped a jackknife, unseen, for a four-bladed knife, sold it for fifty cents, bought a pound of sugar made a barrel of lemonade, which he sold on circus day for eight dollars. He started in business and sold tough meat for choice cuts and made a fortune. When he got a thousand dollars he organized a company for five million dollars, mostly water, and sold at par. When the company busted, it was found that he had sold out some time before. When he died he was a millionaire and left all his money here. It is very warm where he is now."—Mineral Wells Index.

An East Texas editor has married a school marm. We can't offer the lady much encouragement. She will probably find her spouse both incorrigible and unteachable. Editors get awfully set in their ways. Their training for matrimony ought to begin, under the tutelage of some good woman, by the time they reach their teens. But we do congratulate the groom. He will have a sweet, companionable wife, as all men have who married school marms; and, best of all, she being trained to remunerative employment, he has a fine prospect, in times of poor collections and rotten business, of finding a fire on the hearth and a wholesome ration in the larder. May a world of happiness be theirs.—Terrell Transcript.

A stereotype plate house has offered to furnish us "free" in plate form a line of "bull" prepared by the American Banker's association. This is propoganda in the interest of the big bankers who control the finances of the country. As we see it, the press should reject this free propaganda stuff unless they are thoroughly familiar with the argument and consider it worthy. The first article attempts to "expose" the Edison-Ford money idea. Now we know "big money" does not like Henry Ford, because Henry whipped them to a standstill when they tried to break him. We have more confidence in Henry and Edison than in all the Jew bankers in the world.—Fairfield Recorder.

And now Governor Al Smith of New York says he is not going to be a candidate for the presidential nomination. That is too bad. There are any number of people who have been hoping that Al would have a chance to find out exactly what the people of the United States think of him.—Carthage (Mo.) Evening Press.

This is what a correspondent in Germany says of the extra-ordinary power of Hugo Stinnes has over the economic life of that country: "From his own properties Stinnes can build and light my house and supply me with all the housekeeping utensils I can use in it. He can provide me with reading matter, whether daily news or improving literature. He can feed me on meat, bread and jam. He can give me medicine when I am sick, and when I am well he can take me on a pleasure cruise in his own ships and put me up at his own hotels. Moreover, he prints the money with which I pay him." A modern Colossus indeed, who aspires to control Germany politically as well as financially and commercially.—Mart Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Sandford Smith and daughter, returned today from Dallas where they have been visiting for the

SCREEN DEATHS FOR M. COSTELLO EXCITE NO FEAR

Maurice Costello has died so many times, in so many ways on the screen that he thought there were no new deaths for him to portray. But Director Allan Dwan prepared another variety of "passing out" for the veteran screen player in his new Paramount production. "The Glimpses of the Moon," which comes to the National theatre, Thursday, and in which Bebe Daniels and Nita Naldi are featured.

In fifteen years before the camera, during which time he starred in several hundred photoplays, ranging from one reelers to feature length productions, Mr. Costello has protrayed almost every kind of death for the ingenious scenario writers and directors have been able to devise for him. He met the noble death of "Sidney Carton" in "The Tale of Two Cities" and the ignominious end of Benedict Arnold, as well as all the intervening shades of the art of dying. He has been strangled and choked and shot and beaten to death, and out of it all has come the ability to simulate death so well that not even the revealing close-up is able to catch signs of life when Costello feigns death on the screen.

In his role of "Fred Gillow" in "The Glimpses of the Moon," Mr. Costello comes to a violent end by falling over a balustrade nine feet to the floor of a lodge at St Moritz. This fall is the result of his effort to stop his wife, played by Nita Naldi, from leaving his home because he has ordered Nick Lansing, whom she loves to leave the house.

Mr. Costello made the fall himself, and Paramount screen patrons will witness one of the most breath-taking scenes ever filmed, when they see Maurice Costelo and a new post, which he clutched, go crashing through the air to seemingly certain destruction. David Powell is leading man in the production.

JOE BURNETT
(of Eastland)
announces his candidacy for
Governor of Texas

Irish Plot To Blow Up Buckingham Pal

BELFAST, June 20.—The outline of an alleged Irish Republican plot to attack and blow up Buckingham Palace, while bridges, railways and GoGvernment property were being simultaneously destroyed throughout England, was published here today by the Northern Whig.

The Unionist paper understands that the scheme was prepared before the recent round-up of Sinn Feiners in London.

Women spies had made themselves conversant with every movement of the Palace guards, the paper alleges. It was planned that at a given signal they should rush the guards and overpower them. Carefully selected parties of men then would proceed to the destruction, while other hands set fire to railway stations and bombed principal lines.

TWO ARRESTED

Deputy J R. Wright of the Constable's Department took a Ford car and arrested two men this morning on the Tehuacana pike with a quart of corn liquor. All of the City Officers have been waging a little war on the liquor traffic these days, and it is very frequent happening for them to bring in offenders of the Volstead act.

Constable Thompson reports things very quiet with the exception of the above.

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Near Lynching At Savannah, Ga. Negro Assaulter

SAVANNAH, Ga., June 20.—Forty nine persons were arrested in connection with the attempted lynching of Walter Lee, a negro, during which one man was killed and several injured. State troops patrolled the vicinity of the jail. The negro prisoner is charged with attempted assault. Soldiers were called when a mob tried to stone the jail. Bricks stones and clubs were used by the mob. Firemen played water on the crowd to disperse it. After shots were fired into the mobe, it broke up.

Oklahoma A. & M. Row Still Rowing

STILLWATER, Okla., June 20.—Dr. Alexander Meiklejohn, deposed of the Amherst, Mass., college, found a staunch defender in eGorge C. Wilson, storm head of the Oklahoma A. & M. college here today.

"'Only he who is constructively dissatisfied, 'ever causes advancement,' such is Miklejohn," Wilson declared.

The Aggie college head who recently banned the classic language from the school's curriculum as "dead issues," denounced the Amherst college trustee as "fossilized pieces of antiquity," and declared that "they who deride Miklejohn today will honor him tomorrow."

"'Merry-go-round' thinking is the greatest weakness of American scholars today," Wilson stated. "They think ni the manner o ftheir grandfathers. They are as obsolete as the pantalette.

"Men like Miklejohn would be an asset to any school of the country today," Wilson declared.

Quiet At Savannah Following Big Riot

SAVANNAH, Ga., June 20.—Savannah was quiet today following a riot last night during which one man was killed and several injured in an attempt to storm the jail in which Walter Lee, negro, was imprisoned.

Sheriff Merrit Dixon called on military authorities for assistance when a mob of 2,000 persons swarmed about the pail intent on lynching the negro.

Shortly afte a military patrol arrived one section of the crowd became threatening and a volley was fired into the throng. C. C. Parker, Jr., was killed and several others injured.

The volley dispersed the mob.

Parker was shot through the stomack by a stray bullet and died a few minutes later.

Lee was held in jail on charge of assaulting a white woman.

KALAMAZOO, Mich., June 20.—Arthur B. Williams, Republican was elected United States congressman from the Third Michigan District in the special district election yesterday.

Complete count from the five counties gave Williams 9,066 votes against 8,606 for Claude S. Cartey, Democrat.

Williams' victory was declared to be an approval of the Harding Administration, as he ran for the place solely on the record of the administration.

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—A very pretty material for making summer frocks; 36 inches wide and worth 35c per yard. Placed on sale for Dollar Day only at 4 yards. $1

Mavis Talcum Powder
—One lot of Mavis Talcum Powder; regularly selling at 35c per can; Dollar Day 5 for $1

Ladies Silk Hose
—One lot of ladies' silk hose; our regular $1.25 and $1.50 grades, in black, brown, and white; full fashion and reinforced heel and toe. On sale Dollar Day at per pair $1

Men's Unions
—One lot of men's knee length summer union suits; made from good grade of dimety checks and nainsook; regularly selling at $1.25 per garment; Dollar Day very special at each $1

Khaki Shirts
—One lot of men's khaki work shirts in a full range of sizes; well made and cut full. These shirts sell regularly at $1.25; special Dollar Day, each $1

Boys' Summer Play Suits
—Now is the time to purchase that boy of yours a summer play suit. We have reduced our $1.25 grades and place them on sale tomorrow at each $1

Brown Domestic
—One lot of 36 inch brown domestic; good sturdy grade; our 20c values; tomorrow, 7 yards $1

Boy's Blouses
—One lot of boy's blouses in a pretty assortment of patterns in percale and striped madras. These blouses regularly sell at $1.50; tomorrow very special at each $1

Plaid Ratine
—One lot of 36 inch plaid ratine, very pretty for making sport clothes. This material is our regular 75c grade; placed on sale tomorrow 2 yards $1

Silk Pongee
—A very pretty grade for making blouses, 36 inches wide; excellent grade; placed on sale Dallar Day per yard $1

Cotton Crepe
—We have several pieces of 36 inch cotton crepe in solid colors. We are reducing this from 50c per yard and placing it on sale Dollar Day at 3 yards $1

Dark Voile
—One lot of dark colored voile; pretty assorted paterns with floral and small check designs. We reduce this from 50c per yard and place it on sale tomorrow 3 yards. $1

Light Voile
—Very desirable for making dresses for the hot summer days. Comes in 40 inch widths; assorted patterns and is a good value at the regular price of 35c per yard. Dollar Day Special 5 yards $1

Cotton Crepe
—A good range of colors in cotton crepe. This is our 35c value placed on sale Dollar Day only at 5 yards $1

Pajama Checks
—This splendid material worth 35c per yard will be placed on sale Dollar Day only at 5 yards $1

Tissue Ginghams
—This is just the time for tissue gingham dresses. Here tomorrow you whl find the excellent grades of tissues on sale. We are reducing them from $1.00 per yard and placing them on sale for 1½ yards $1

Curtain Scrim
—Pretty for bed, dining, living or bath rooms; values from 20c to 35c per yard. Tomorrow 10 yards $1

Table Damask
—One lot of table damask in white and colors. Our 75c grade; placed on sale Dallar Day only at 2 yards $1

French Ginghams
—In this lot we have a beautiful assortment of checks, stripes and small plaids. This is our regular 65c grade placed on sale for on day only at 2 yards $1

Percale
—One big lot of 36 inch percale; very desirable for making porch and house aprons. Reduced from 25c per yard and placed on sale tomorrow at 6 yards $1

Hope Domestic
—One lot of 36 inch hope domestic; known everywhere as being good; reduced from 25c per yards and placed on sale at 6 yards $1

Light Percale
—One lot of 27 inch light colored percale, our regular 15c grade; very special Dollar Day only 10 yards $1

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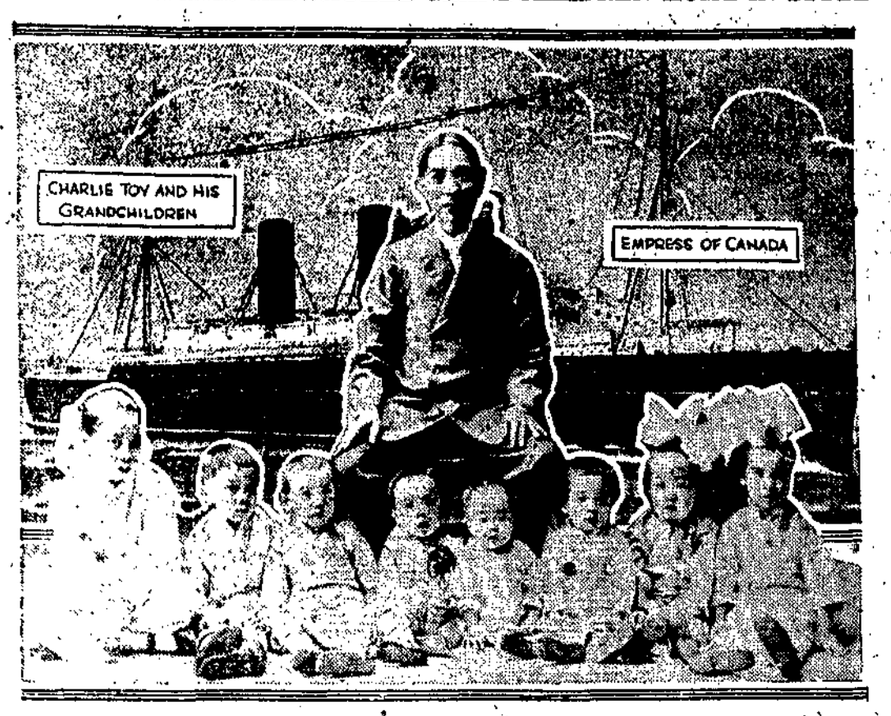
"ALL ABOARD FOR HONG KONG!" SAYS CHARLES M. TOY, AS HE TAKES MILWAUKEE GRANDCHILDREN HOME IN STYLE



Forty-three years ago Charlie Toy, an ambitious young Chinese whose name at home was Moy Toy, left Canton with enough money to get to Oshkosh, Wis. He prospered in Oshkosh, became very well to do in Milwaukee and is now the owner of a big trading company, a restaurant and a theater, as well as the proud grandfather of 11 sturdy young Chinese-Americans, all born in Milwaukee. When people started calling him Charlie, Moy Toy accepted it as part of the "American plan," and now he is Charles M. Toy, still interested in China, but a most enthusiastic and loyal American by adoption.

As everybody knows, ancestors are really venerated in China. Charlie told the grandmothers of the little Milwaukee Chinese that he would take the youngsters to China some day to get acquainted with them and learn the Chinese language. So recently, Charlie Toy left Milwaukee for Vancouver with his 11 grandchildren, their mothers and several other relatives, the entire party numbering 19. Charlie not only knows how to save money, but he isn't slow about spending it, also, when proper occasion arises, and when Charlie travels the sky's the limit. Charlie had a special compartment and drawing-room car for the little Yoks and Chucks to Seattle and Vancouver, and then he installed them in five of the best suites on the Canadian Pacific steamship "Empress of Canada," the biggest as well as one of the swiftest ships on the Pacific Ocean for the trip to Hong Kong, the same "Empress" which will start on a tour of the world on Jan. 30 next. Charlie lives in a mansion on Fourteenth Street, Milwaukee, and will build a big house of American design at his old home in Canton, China.

"My grandchildren and I are 100% Americans," Charlie told a Milwaukee Sentinel reporter, "and in China we will live under an American flag that will proclaim to all our love for this wonderful land. In the Canton Christian College and in other schools there my grandchildren can learn both English and Chinese. They cannot learn Chinese in Milwaukee." Charlie, all his life, has had but one motto. It is: "Honesty endures."

SOME HARD FACTS ABOUT SOFT MONEY

By JOHN OAKWOOD

When a farmer takes his product to market and sells it for, say, a dollar a bushel, he is dependent upon the honesty of two measures—the dollar and the bushel.

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The other day a crossroads storekeeper got sent to jail for manipulating a trick bushel basket with a false bottom that would slide up and down in a way that was grand, gloomy and mysterious. When using it to measure stuff he bought from a farmer, he'd secretly shove the bottom down until it held at least a bushel and a quarter, but he would only credit him with a bushel. The buying power of the farmer's product was thereby depreciated by about twenty per cent.

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Finally the farmers thereabouts got wise to the fact that the only way they could get what was coming to them was to enforce a reliable standard of measurement. So they put a good stiff jail penalty on using a fake measure, laid for that storekeeper with the trick basket and sent him to prison.

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Politicians in Europe have been manipulating the other measure—the money measure—in much the same way. Some of them in America want to tamper likewise with the dollar. Here is about the way it would work out. Suppose, when the farmer brought his product to market, the basket measure was honest enough and he got a dollar bill for each bushel. He'd take his dollars home and save them. Perhaps he planned to buy some land next his own for a thousand dollars, and figured that in a year or so he could make it.

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But meanwhile the politicians start to manipulate the base of the currency. They would change it from the gold standard to a fiat money plan—from a gold guarantee to the mere say-so of the government that a piece of paper was worth a dollar. The farmer wouldn't be watching the money politicians. He would be too busy raising things. At the end of the year he has his thousand dollars. He takes them to the landowner and says, "I'll buy your land now—here's a thousand dollars."

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But the landowner would say, "That is paper money—my land is worth one thousand dollars gold—the government has printed so much paper money folks haven't much confidence in it. But I am willing to take a chance if you will give me a dollar and a quarter in paper money for each gold dollar's value of my land—in other words, I'll give you my land for $1,250 dollars paper."

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Soft money would be only another way for the money-politicians to hand the farmer the same dirty deal as the basket manipulator. In the first case the farmer unknowingly gave a bushel and a quarter of his product, and in the second case he would have to give a dollar and a quarter of his money, for a dollar's value in return.

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In Germany they have carried the manipulation of the mark so far—well, it seems hardly believable, but if they did the same thing to the dollar, it would take over ten million in paper money to buy that land. The primary producer can raise his prices, but not fast enough to equalize this drop in the gold value of unsound money. That is where the catch comes in.

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Limestone.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Limestone County of the 8th day of June, 1923, by the District Clerk, of said Limestone County, for the sum of Forty Five Hundred ($4500) Dollars and costs of suit, under a Judgment and Foreclosure of Vendors Lien, in favor of W. H. Smith, in a certain cause in said Court No. 2958 B, and styled W. H. Smith vs. John R. Williams et al, placed in my hands for service, I, Whit Popejoy, as Sheriff of Limestone County, Texas, did on the 9th day of June, 1923, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Limestone County, Texas, described, to wit:

First Tract: Out of subdivision 26 in the City of Mexia in Limestone County, Texas, beginning at the NW corner of said tract, thence east with its North line 752 feet to the NE corner, thence south with its E. line to the line of the City limits thence south west with the city limit line to the S line of said subdivision 26 Thence west with said S line 554 feet to the SW corner of same, Thence west with the N line of said subdivision 530 feet, to the beginning, containing 9.72 acres.

Second tract: the undold portion of subdivision C. division 19 beginning at the NW corner subdivision C Thence east with its N line to the south boundary line of the city limits 430 feet; Thence Southwest with the S line of the city limits to SW corner said subdivision 770 feet, Thence North along west line of said subdivision 289 feet to the place of beginning, containing 1.38 acres.

Third Tract: 2.9 acres out of sec. 48 J. Varela XI league grant, beginning at a point 280 feet S 4 deg. E. from the S side of Hopkins street, Thence N 84 deg. 4 min. east 630 feet, Thence North 4 deg west 380 feet to the city limits. Thence with said city limits line 770 feet to the place of beginning; and levied upon as the property of John R. Williams, and that on the first Tuesday in July, 1923, the same being the 3rd day of said month, at the Court House door, of Limestone County, in the town of Groesbeck, Texas, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale and Vendors Lien, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said John R. Williams et al.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Mexia Daily News, a newspaper published in Limestone County.

Witness my hand, this 8th day of June, 1923.

Whit Popejoy,
Sheriff Limestone County, Texas.
By N. P. Harris, Deputy.
(11-18-25)

Mexia Negro Is Boston University Graduate This Year

Timothy B. Echols of Mexia, Texas was honored by the degree of Bachelor of Sacred Theology at the annual commencement of Boston university which was held at Symphony hall on Monday morning, June 18th.

Degrees were conferred upon more than 900 students, the largest graduating class in the history of the university. This is an increase of 37 per cent over last year's class of 656. This large number was due to the fact that Boston university now has over 10,000 students enrolled, exclusive of extra-mural courses. Bishop Charles Lewis Slattery, Bishop Coadjutor of the Protestant Episcopal Diocese of Massachusetts, delivered the Commencement address before the faculties, students and two thousand guests.

Of these 900 students, two thirds come from Massachusetts, 34 other states are represented and 12 foreign counties, including Mexico, Canada, Newfountland, Porto Rico, Philippine Islands, Java, China, Japan, Siam, New Zealand, Portugal and Norway. The largest number of foreign students come from China and Japan.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Moody and children of Fort Worth, returned to their home today after a visit with friends and relatives in the city.

NOTED PLAYERS IN PICTURE

In addition to the principals of the cast, eight other actors and actresses appear in Allan Dwan's Paramount production, "The Glimpses of the Moon," which comes to the National theatre Thursday. They are Beth Allen, Mrs. George Peggram, Dolores Costello, Millie Muller, Beatrice Coburn, Fred Hadley, Robert Lee Keeling and Barton Adams. These players have important bits in the picture in which Bebe Daniels and Nita Naldi are featured and with David Powell Maurice Costello, Rubye de Remer and Charles Gerrard leading in the support.

AMARILLO—City authorities are considering the transportation problem and making examination to decide whether the belt line cars shall be continued in view of the cost of the service by the municipality.

ONE CASUALTY JUNESTEENTH

HOUSTON, June 20.—Only one negro was seriously injured during the "Junesteenth" celebrations here yesterday. Percy McMillan is in a hospital with a slashed jugular vein and may die as the reslult of an argument during the festivities.

INCARCERATED THE CAT

KANSAS CITY.—"Blackie", big Tom cat, was locked up by authorities, for "poaching" gold fish from the aquarium in Huron Park here. Several small boys suspected of the poaching were released.

DALLAS—Construction on the new addition of the Dallas Power and Light company's generating station here is making progress so that it is probable a part of the equipment may be installed the latter part of the summer. The concrete smokstack, which will be the tallest in the country is now more than forty feet high.

Mrs. Ben Howard has as her guest Mrs. E. E. Rains of Oklahoma City.

SAN ANGELO—Two ice factories in this city have been asquired by the West Texas Ice company of which G. W. Fry of Abilene is president. The two plants have a daily capacity of 100 tons.

From: Texas Public Service Information Bureau, Dallas 6-19.

LOST—Black bill fold, contained two or three $5.00 bills and Masonic receipts made to Oley Hale. Return to News office and receive reward. 20D2

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished two room apartments. $4 and $5 per week. 812 E. Palestine street 20L4

Tom Nolan is in Corsicana every day now, going up each morning to take charge of the office of Nolas and Day in that place.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a certain Pluries Execution issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Collin County, on the 30th day of May, 1923, in a certain cause wherein Collin County Mill & Elevator Company, plaintiffs, and Blackwood & Noble Grocery Company, said corporation, and Lee Noble and R. Blackwood, and each of them jointly and severally, defendants, in which cause a judgment was rendered on the 21st day of February, 1923 in favor of the said plaintiff, Collin County Mill & Elevator Company, against said defendant, Blackwood & Noble Grocery Company, said corporation, and Lee Noble and R. Blackwood, and each of them jointly and severally, for the sum of Seventeen Hundred and Eighty Five and 87-100 Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per centum per annum from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit, I have levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday in July 1923, it being the 3rd day of said month, at Groesbeck, Texas, in Limestone County, within legal hours, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of Blackwood & Noble Grocery Company, in and to the following described personal property, levied upon as the property of Blackwood & Noble Grocery Company said corporation, and Lee Noble and R. Blackwood and of each of them jointly and severally, to-wit:

1st. tract: Situated in Limestone County, Texas, being 95½ acres of land out of the John B. Stephenson 320 acre tract of land, described as follows: Beginning at the N. E. corner of the Louis Dillon 640 acre survey, and N W C of the said John B. Stephenson survey; Thence North 90 E. 1072 vrs. to a stake for cor.; Thence South 30 E. 616 vrs. to a stake for cor.; Thence South 60 W. 525 1-5 vrs. to a stake for cor. Thence South 60 W 545½ vrs. to a stake for corner; thence North 30 W. 392½ vrs. to the place of beginning, containing 95½ acres of land conveyed to Richard Blackwood by W. M. Baldridge, by deed dated October 29th, 1909, and recorded in Vol. 60, page 115, Deed Records of Limestone County, Texas.

2nd tract: Situated in Limestone County, Texas, being 150 acres of land out of the 2-3 league and labor survey, patented to P. S. McNeel by Pat. No. 303 vol. 6 abst. No. 340. Beginning at a point on the SWL. of said survey 2380 vrs. S. 30 E. from the NW. corner thereof, said beginning point being the SW. corner of the 100 acre tract out of said survey, conveyed to J. E. Riddle by Geo. Goldwait, by deed dated Sept. 29th, 1897, and recorded in Book 13, page 91, the Deed Records of the said County, Thence S. 30 E. 507 vrs. passing an ell corner of said McNeel survey, continuing in all 1400 vrs. to a stake in prairie; thence N. 60 E. 605 vrs. a stake; thence N. 30 W. 1400 vrs. a stake; thence S. 60 W. 605 vrs. to the place of beginning, and being the same land conveyed to Louis Boiling Trustee, by R. Blackwood and wife by deed of trust dated Nov. 27th, 1918, recorded in vol. 6, page 35 Deed of Trust Records of Limestone County, Texas."

The above sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment for $1,785.87 in favor of Collin County Mill & Elevator Company, together with the costs of said suit, and the proceeds applied to the satisfaction thereof.

White Popejoy,
Sheriff Limestone County, Texas.
By N. P. Harris, Deputy.
Groesbeck, Texas, June 8th, 1923.
(11-18-25)

GILMER—Extensive improvements to the plant of the Gilmer Ice and Light company here are to be made at once. Among other things the use of coal and wood as fuel will be changed to oil.

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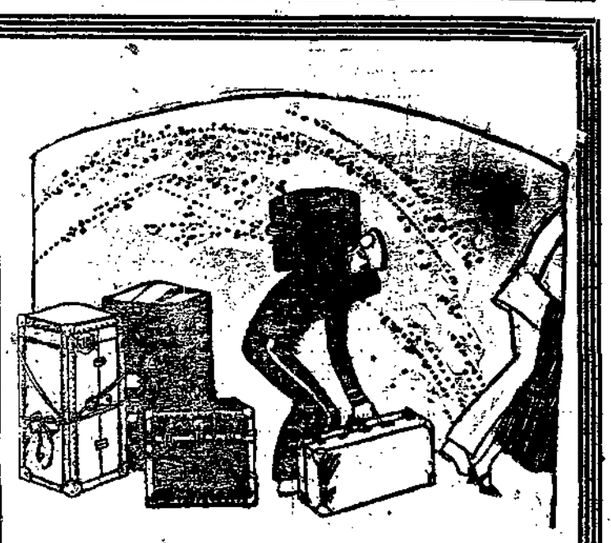

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SALUTATORY

Miss Jamie Berry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Berry of this city, class Salutatorian for the graduating class of the Mexia High school, at the recent commencement exercises, presented the following admirable address:

Friends and Fellow Classmates:

In approaching the responsibility of this occasion I am possessed with a spirit both akin to gladness and sorrow. I find myself exultant because of the happy culmination of the long and laborous years in public school; but when I think of the dear friends and teachers whose love counsel and comradeship have lent so much of joy and happiness to my life, have removed many obstacles from life's rugged pathway, then a feeling of sorrow comes o'er me in the thought that these happy and pleasant associations are to be no more.

This eventful night closes an epoch in our lives and brings us to the parting of the ways where each must take up his march of life's eventful journey and do valiant service, or falter by the roadside.

"I do not know beneath what sky
Nor on what sea's shall be thy fate;
I only know it shall be high
I only know it shall be great."

When we consider the happy privilege afforded us on this occasion of occupying for the first time this beautiful and completely appointed auditorium of our High School building, our hearts are made to rejoice and we are moved almost to envy to our successors of '23 and '24 as well as all of the classes to follow in the years to come, because of the magnificient and beautiful High School building designed and directed for their moral, physical and intellectuual welfare. May those who pass through its portals reflect the purpose and spirit of its inception and cast a halo of unspeakable glory around its history. While we rejoice in the progress thus far made and the achievements wrought, it were well to remember that our education is in no wise complete. To the contrary, we have only laid the foundation and the superstructure is yet to be built. We have only gathered a few pebbles from the strands of the ocean of knowledge while the ocean itself lies far beyond Let us not be misled and cast anchor among the reefs and shoals. There never existed in the history of our country a more crying demand and need for real men and women than exists today. (We note the barracks of our standing armies with rolling drum and fluttering flags as points of strength and protection. But the citizen, upright, patriotic and unafraid, consecrated to the service of humanity shall save this Republic when the drum tap is futile, and the barracks are deserted,) There comes to the boy and the girl, the young man and yong womuan of today, the clarion call of duty and with the stentorian voice, paints the way to life or service, lifted above and beyond the murky slime of selfishness. May the young men and young women who go out from this splendid institution be prepared to answer that call as becomes patriotic American citizens.

My friends in extending to you a hearty welcome and assurance of our good will, we want you to know that your interest in our welfare and your patient forbearance of the faults which too often manifested themselves in our conduct, have been a source of inspiration to us and spurred us on to nobler and higher aspirations.

Kind and with patient tolerance our Superintendent and teachers have removed the chaff that we might find the golden grains of knowledge. Bearing in heart and in mind the splendor of our school days the kindly admonition and wisdom of our teachers, and their loving comradeship, let us hope that whatever in us was unworthy has faded and that which was good will abide through the years to come.

I should feel that my duty on this occasion were only remotely performed should I not make grateful acknowledgement on behalf of the faculty, class, and student body of Mexia High School to our progressive Board of Education for this magnificient building. It is indeed an outstanding monument which is a credit to our splendid citizenship and marks an epoch in the history of our progressive city. All honor to those who made possible this glorious enterprise.

With hearts full of gratitude to all who have contributued in any way to whatever success we may have attained, we fervently hope that those of us who go out from dear old Mexia High this year, may add lustre to her name and glory to her history.

"There are gems of wondrous brightness
Oftimes lying at our feet;
And we pass them, walking thoughtless
Down the busy crowded street.
If we knew our pace would slacken
We would step more oft with care
Lest our careless feet be treading
To the earth some jewel rare."

WORK OF EMPLOY-
MENT BUREAU

FORT WORTH, Texas, June 20—The Municipal employment bureau here found work for 361 men during the moth of May, according to a report filed at the City Hall by W. S. George, manager of the agency.

Of this number 32 were carpenters, 10 cooks, 14 brick masons, 7 chauffeurs, 9 teamsters and 148 harvest hands.

ORANGE—W. E. Lea, mayor of this city, has been elected president of the Houston-Beaumont-Orange electric interurban railroad line. Construction is scheduled to begin next month.

Letters from People

WHAT CONSTITUTES A GOOD CITIZEN?

Is it one that orates on any and all occasions and gives thirty cents when the quiet man who has to scratch to make ends meet gives one hundred dollars?

Is it one that would try to make you believe and wants you to think that he is a second Jesus, when in a business transaction he would take advantage of any technicality no matter how unjust or how poor he would leave the other fellow.

Is it one that yells aloud, clean up and beautify, but lets his own place grow up in weeds and drains his sewerage on his neighbors or in the ditch in front of his neighbors house?

There are many other varieties of such citizens. Some of them get by with it, some of them get by with it in a measure and some of them not at all. A great deal depends on how much and how quick they are swelling their bank account.

I have in mind a really good citizen. One to whom providence has been very kind in the past two years and instead of spoiling him it has developed every good trait, morally, mentaly and physically. When I think back to his first coming here it is hard to realize it is the same man. This is one of the rare cases when the massing of wealth in a short time has not only not spoiled but has developed and broadened him in these attributes that we like to associate with that of a gentleman. Such a man cannot help being a good citizen, a citizen to whom all can look for leadership, the kind of leadership that counts from every standpoint and of which we need never be ashamed. He speaks and encourages when called upon but it is not Fourth of July stuff to make the other fellow go down in his pocket. It is good sensible business and all know he will do his full share. We are indeed fortunate.

There are very many and I am glad to say the majority of the residents of Mexia that are good citizens as their means and talents allow. You cannot know, as any selfrespecting man will not air their affairs. Sickness of one or more members of their family may take every cent a man can scrape together. Investments that looked good may turn out wrong. Business may take a slump or bills becoming due that must be met. There are many things that are not what they seem, so you cannot tell the ability to give by outward appearances. You would not air your affairs to the world so have charity and do not come to hasty conclusions. It is not always what you give but rather what you live that constitutes the best citizenship. Of course, if it is so that you can combine these two, it is easier for the public to single you out.

In many hearts in this city there are ambitions and desires to do something for Mexia, ultimately these desires and ambitions may be realized but with many the mere meeting of the cost of living and promptly meeting current obligations leaves no surplus and these desires and ambitions may never be realized.

A good citizen is one that strives to meet his obligations honestly and promptly, that gives of his surplus, if he has any, just what his reason and intelligence suggests as proper. One that provides for his family and tries to make his home attractive to his family, to his neighbors and the city. One that is public spirited to the extent of his ability. One that feels in his heart that Mexia is his home and that he would rather live here than anywhere in the world.

—Sylvester Micawber.

People the Picture Of Health Often Suffer From High Blood Pressure

Many people who seem to be strong and healthy never know they have high blood pressure until they are examined for life insurance. If they have high blood pressure, their insurance is refused.

High blood pressure is usually a symptom that the poisonous wastes of the body are accumulating in the intestinal tract. Fortunately the danger signal of splitting headaches, sour stomach, palpitation of the heart, shortness of breath, ringing in the ears are present and warn us that we are liable to high blood pressure.

A well known physician has recently made a discovery of a new formula that in many cases reduces high blood pressure quickly and easily. This new preparation is put up in convenient tablet form and is called Bi-a-lin. It helps Nature reduce the blood pressure by thoroughly cleansing out the poisons which caused the heart to overtax itself in its efforts to overcome their harmful effects. Remarkable results have been reported even in obstinate and long-standing cases. Ask your druggist his opinion of Bi-a-lin and what grateful users have told him and its wonderful results. Get Bi-a-lin today and you'll be surprised to see how rapidly your distress vanishes and how quickly a wonderful new feeling of power and vigor arrives. You can get Bi-a-lin at all good druggists with a guarantee to return every cent you paid for it if you do not get wonderful results from the very first bottle.

For sale in Mexia by the Mexia Drug Company and Anderson & Gilliland.

Mrs. Clarence E. Best, sons Herold, Clarence Jr., and J. W. and daughter, Daphna, left Tuesday for Corsicana, to join her husband, who is a driller in the Powell fields near there.

To Fight Snakes With Gas Tanks

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, June 20—Prosphene, chlorine and mustard gasses are being experimented with by Major George M. Halloran, chemical warfare officer of the Eighth Corps area here in an effort to determine which will be the most efficacious in his proposed war on rattlesnakes in this ation.

Phosphene gas which has the effect of stopping the heart action of any animal that breathes it was recently believed by Major Halleran to be the best.

The experiments will not begin in earnest until winter, Major Halloran stated. Tanks of the various gasses will then be taken to the snake infested areas and the results closely observed.

WICHITA FALLS—The annual convention o fthe oSuthwestern Waterworks association June 18 to 21 in this city visited the great irrigation dam now under construction and discussed the management of water plants.

HOUSTON—In a recent report to the city authorities the Houston Gas and Fuel company shows great expansion due to increase in number and needs of customers. The company is to build a new holder of about two million cubic feet in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McBride were recent visitors to Quinlan and Greenville in Hunt county, where they visited friends and where Mr. McBride saw after his farming interests. He reports that the section tributary to Sabine River in Hunt county suffered heavily from flood damage. The overflow was tremendous, he says, washing hundreds of scores of oats in shock away. He had to leave his auto there and Mr. and Mrs. McBride returned on the train.

Pleasanton—Many improvements in the service have been made by Pleasanton Water and Light company since the company took over the plant from the city. High tension transmission lines are being constructed to connect the plant with Jourdonton, Charlotte and Poteet.

CHILDRESS—The second of three new 500 horsepower engines is now being installed by the Childress Light and Ice company here. The company is also receiving material for a high-tension line to carry power to the railroad shops.

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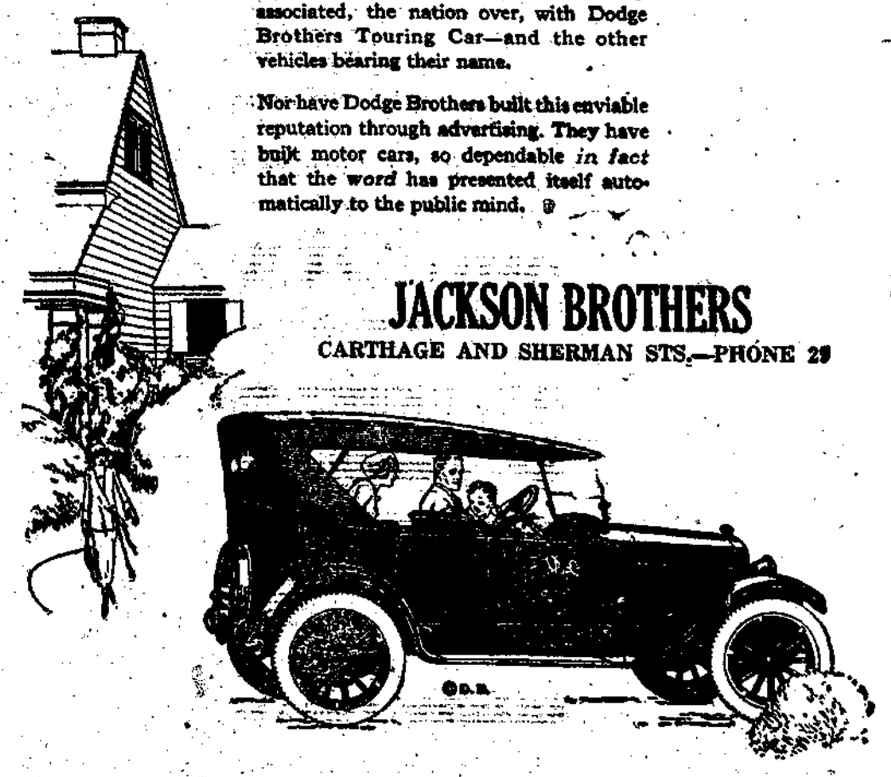

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ANNA Q. NILSSON

NATIONAL THEATRE TODAY

TWENTY ACRES OF PINES BURNED

In staging the tremendous forest fire in Reginald Barker's production, "Hearts Aflame," at the National theatre, Mr. Barker has created a spectacle that will stand for a long time as one of the really great achievements of the screen, and serve as a standard for similar scenes in photoplays.

Magnificently terrifying, the fire sweeps across the screen, turning twenty acres of beautiful, towering pines to a cinder-strewn waste. In ten minutes it destroys what Nature took a hundred years to build. It is a sight never to be forgotten. Starting at the top of a ridge in the background and rushing down towards the camera with terrific leaps and bounds, the fire envelopes the entire forest in less than a minute.

And through the blaze, in plain view of the spectator, Anna Q. Nilsson drives a locomotive, sticking courageously to the throttle in spite of the flames that lick along the cab and dart in through the windows with every new scorching draft of air. The object of her wild ride is to secure powder to dynamite a ridge and save the women and children in the valley settlement beyond, and the fulfillment of her brave mission furnishes one of the greatest thrills in screen history.

Technically, the making of the forest fire scene was a stupendous project. For many and obvious reasons, the conflagration could not be started in the woods, so the forest had to be built especially for "Hearts Aflame." Two months were spent in uprooting the pine trees in the mountains, carrying them down to the location, and replanting them at the mouth of Pacoima Canyon in the San Fernando valley. As the trucks traveled in trains of five, all transporting had to be done at night to avoid other traffic.

Twenty cameras, the largest number ever used at one time on a scene, constituted the lens battery, and forty spot lights and three great army searchlights lit up the players who worked in various parts of the burning forest. Altogether, the electrical equipment employed approximated $85,000 in value. There were five motor generators, three of the largest transformers in Southern California, four miles of cable, numberless ordinary studio lamps, and a built-in 15,000 volt high tension line which connected with the main line of the Edison service a mile from the location.

During the five nights required for filming the long shots and close-ups of the fire scenes, there were never less than three hundred people engaged on the location. This number included the director and his staff, the production staff, cameramen, electricians, police, forest rangers, laborers, carpenters, drivers for the emergency cars, and the corps of utility men. A medical tent was erected on the grounds and two doctors and a nurse were on hand all during the making of the scenes to render first aid.

In order that Mr. Barker might be in constant touch with every camera and forest ranger station, a field telephone service was installed.

"Hearts Aflame" was produced for Louis B. Mayer. It is a Metro release. The photoplay is based on the novel "Timber," by Harold Titus. In the cast are Frank Keenan and Anna Q. Nilsson.

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July number "American Magazine" on sale Wednesday at News Stand—E. J. Ormsby, front of Mexia Drug store. 19R2

Classified want ads for "The Dallas News" taken at the Pioneer News Stand. 20d3

Fourth of July Fight Promoters Raising $300,000

By HENRY L. FARRELL.
United Press Staff Correspondent.

SHELBY, Mont., June 20.—Promoters and managers of the Dempsey-Gibbons fight scheduled for Fourth of July started Tuesday to raise the final $100,000 installment of the $300,000 purse guaranteed the champion.

Dan Tracy, representative of the Great Falls bankers, who advanced the money to meet the second payment, says he wishes to obtain the final installment as soon a possible and deposit it in the bank to Dempsey's credit. It is due July 2.

The books of the promoters in the Shelby office were turned over yesterday to the supervisors and auditors. Tracy said he wanted it understood that the auditing of the books was merely a formality and was no reflection upon the staff that has been handling the tickets and the money.

Mike Collins, who made the Dempsey-Gibbons match for the promoters, confirmed reports that a fight card would be staged in the arena July 3, the day before the big bout. Three 10-round contests with Jimmy Delaney, St. Paul and Jack Burke, Pittsburgh, light-heavyreights in the main event, will be put on.

Collins said that as soon as he had completed preliminaries for the Dempsey-Gibbons fight, his connection with the organization would be severed.

"I was hired as matchmaker and director of publicity, and as soon as I arrange the preliminaries on the big card my responsibility will cease," he said. "I have nothing to do with the money or the tickets."

Kearns said he had heard some 4 to 1 money had been offered that Dempsey would retain the championship. Kane offered to take $20,000 of the money.

Spooks Menacing Palestine People

PALESTINE, Texas, June 20—A mellow glowing "Will 'o the Wisp" whhci vanishes when approached is being observed in a cemetery here by hundreds of people.

The light has puzzled citizens here for months and the mystery is far from solution. The light is seen apparently about four or five hundred feet from the Spring road and can only be seen from one vantage point. If one attempts to approach it it fades away and disappears.

One of the theories advanced is that the "ghost light" is only the reflection of some distant light on a tomb stone. Persons who have watched the "Will 'o the Wisp" are inclined to scout this theory for they say there is no other light in the vicinity.

Mail subscriptions to The Dallas News, Dallas Journal and Semi-Weekly Farm News. Local Agent, E. J. Ormsby, Pioneer News Stand. 20d3

July number "Hearsts" and "Good Housekeeping" on sale today. Pioneer News Stand, Mexia Drug Store corner. 19R2

Dallas Preparing For Big Crowd The Coming Fall

DALLAS, June 20—Two and perhaps three special trains will be operated to bring guests into Dallas during the fall marketing season in August.

"Magic Valley" buyers will have one of the specials at their disposal. This special will be made up at San Antonio and will include special cars from Mission, Laredo, Brownsville, Corpus Christi, Del Rio and San Antonio.

The second train will be made up at Marshall and will take care of buyers from Lousiana and Arkansas. Special cars will be run from Shreveport, Alexander, Texarkana and Marshall.

While no plans have been made, a third train is being considered.

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Howard Wright was a orsicana visitor Monday and Tuesday.

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MRS. R. M. NICHOLS for information
909 N. 17th St., Waco, Texas.

MUST YOU START ANEW TO SAVE FOR A HOME?

Think of the sacrifices you made in order to save enough to build a home. If fire should destroy your home tomorrow would it mean that you must begin economizing and saving all over again?

Fire insurance is the only certain protection against loss of the savings you have invested—and a policy in the Hartford Fire Insurance Company is absolutely dependable as your banker will gladly testify. It costs no more to secure the best.

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Must you start anew to save for a home?

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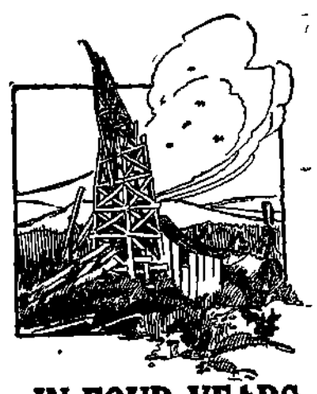

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FORMER CHAMPION RECOVERING EYESIGHT

Former bantamweight champion Pete Herman, shown here with his little daughter in his home in New Orleans, Louisiana, is rapidly recovering his eyesight. In a fight two years ago with Midget Smith, Herman became totally blind as a result of blows in the face. After the gamest fight of his career, he is slowly recovering and hopes to be able to become a manager of a stable of prize fighters. His boxing days are over.

Harding Challenges Canadian Official

Lieut-Gov. W.C. Nichol.

Declaring he would play his first game of golf on a Canadian course during his forthcoming visit to Vancouver, B. C., on his return from Alaska, President Harding has challenged Lieutenant-Governor W. C. Nichol to meet him in an 18-hole match on July 26.

SCREEN DEATHS FOR M. COSTELLO EXCITE NO FEAR

Maurice Costello has died so many times in so many ways on the screen that he thought there were no new death for him to portray. But Director Allan Dwan prepared another variation of "passing out" for the veteran screen player in his new Paramount production, "The Glimpses of the Moon" which comes to the National theatre Thursday, and in which Bebe Daniels and Nita Naldi are featured.

In fifteen years before the camera, during which time he starred in several hundred photo plays, ranging from one reelers to feature length productions Mr. Costello has portrayed almost every kind of death for the ingenious scenario writers and directors have been able to devise for him. He met the noble death of "Sidney Carton" in "The Tale of Two Cities" and the ignominious end of Benedict Arnold, as well as all the intervening shades of the art of dying. He has been strangled and choked and shot and beaten to death, and out of it all has come the ability to simulate death so well that not even the revealing close-up is able to catch signs of life when Costello feigns death on the screen.

In his role of "Fred Gillow" in "The Glimpses of the Moon," Mr. Costello comes to a violent end by falling over a balustrade nine feet to the floor of a lodge at St. Moritz. This fall is the result of his effort to stop his wife, played by Nita Naldi, from leaving his home because he has ordered Nick Lansing, whom she loves to leave the house.

Mr. Costello made the fall himself, and Paramount screen patrons will witness one of the most breath-taking scenes ever filmed, when they see Maurice Costelo and a new post, which he clutched, go crashing through the air to seemingly certain destruction. David Powell is leading man in the production.

A GOOD OLD DAD

NEW YORK—Harris Mandelbaum, real estate operator, has given his son a wedding gift of $1,000,000. A year ago he gave his daughter, Mrs. Beatrice Bacharach, a like gift.

NEW YORK—Mrs. Nicolina Barbini suddenly dropped while walking with two women companions. There was bullet wounds in both her legs. No shots were heard.

Miss Alice Hankins of Corsicana is in Mexia for a few days visit with her friend, Miss Annie Lou Karner.

100 copies of sheet music, all the latest hits on sale Saturday at only 25c the copy. The Peoples Variety Store.

SPORTLIGHTS.

W. R.

Seems that the boys are having some time trying to cinch the first half of the pennant race. They just could not hit Andrews of the Bathers Tuesday at the right time, although they nicked him for seven hits during the fray.

Stoval lost his first road game of the year to Marlin Tuesday when they fell on his offerings for ten hits that coupled with an error counted for seven runs.

This fellow Clements, short stop for the Austin Rangers, is no mean ball player by any means. He has one of the most perfect throws and when the ball leaves his hand it is going like a bullet. Although he is no Babe Ruth at bat, he swats some that would break up many a good ball game.

Austin has, what I consider, the best club in the league. With Don Flynn, McElwee and Cecil Griggs in the out field, they have one more hard hitting crew of gardeners. All of them are old heads and have been playing base ball for the last—? years.

They have a nice pitching staff composed of Brooks, Collins, Whitworth, Flaherty and Johnson, who can turn out good pitching at any time.

I phophesy that the last half of the race will be between Mexia and Austin and with things running like they have been for the last few days it is mighty hard to say which one will have the edge on the other.

We went out to see Claude Bryan Tuesday afternoon and the nurses had him out in a rolling chair on the front lawn, where he could enjoy the sunshine and see things on the street.

They sure have been good to Claude, sending him candy, fruit, reading material and goodness knows what all. The nurses had his foot decorated with flowers and he seemed to be enjoying life with all ease.

Claude appreciates the visits of his many friends and he is always anxious. We felt kinda bad when we had to tell him that the Gushers went under to the Marlin Bathers and all of the comment that he had to make was "Aint it pitiful."

Talk, second baseman for Austin, said that the Gushers would miss Claude alright and that Bryan of Mexia and Chatham of the Bathers had robbed the other teams of the circuit of more base hits than any other player in the league.

The Mexia Black Gushers bowed to the Beaumont Black Exporters Tuesday, in a double header at their park west of town. The Exporters won the first game by the score of 9 to 6 and the second game, which was five innings by agreement, by the score of 4 to 2.

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

Coming from behind twice, the Senators won from the Cleveland Indians in the ninth.

The White Sox staged clouting bees in the fifth and ninth, garnered two homers and drove Harris from the mound, defeating the Athletics.

Westerzil's scratch single in the ninth brought in the run that broke a 3 to 3 tie, and Galveston won from Dallas, 4 to 3.

With ragged support, Sell, Houston pitcher, lost his first game. Wichita Falls making it three out of four by winning 6 to 1.

Allen, Beaumont center fielder who relieved Bradshaw in the box, was unable to stop the Fort Worth sluggers and the Exporters lost, 11 to 4.

An abundance of hits and errirs featured Shreveport's victory over San Antonio, 12 to 8.

Mrs. Owen F. Watkins is in Gatesville where she is on a visit with relatives. Judge Watkins accompanied her there last week but returned the early part of this week to his home here.

The Kitty Bond Wesley Bible Class will meet in social meeting at the home of Mrs. Dr. Metcalf, Thursday at 4:30 p. m. She will be assisted by Mrs. Blake Smith and Mrs. M. Y Beeson, as hostesses. All members are expected.

Mrs. Jeanie Richardson of Fort Worth is here spending a few days with friends and looking after some business interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Womack and family have moved for the summer out to their summer home at the Reunion Grounds.

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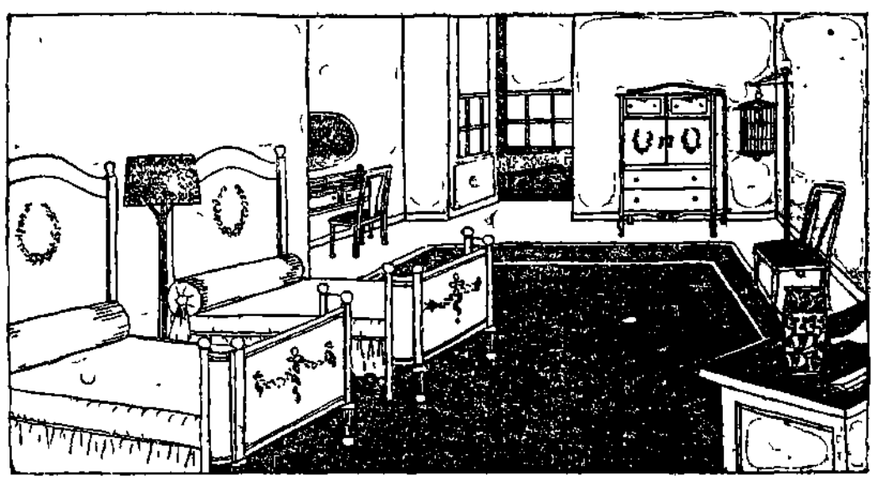

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McKINNEY, Texas, June 20.—An interesting relic which officials of the Collin's County Fair are trying to obtain for exhibition is in the possession of H. S. Stone, a farmer of near here.

This relic is a cotton dress some 200 years old. The garment was made by Mrs. Chism, Stone's great great-great grandmother-in-law who picked, carded, spun and wove the cotton herself. She also dyed the dress in its various colors.

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17	Dallas Ft. Worth	4:35 a. m.
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346	To cut-off	7:00 a. m.
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38	Austin San nAtonio	12:21 a. m.
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No. 8—3:25 p. m.

South.

No. 7—12:55 p. m.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 16

Proposing an amendment to Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, which relates to taxation and revenues, by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 9a, directing the Legislature to provide for the construction, operation and maintenance, under State control, of a State system of public highways; providing for an election for the ratification or rejection of amendment herein proposed, and making an appropriation to defray the expense of said election.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That there be submitted to the people of Texas, for ratification or rejection at a special election provided for herein an amendment to Article 8, of the Constitution of the the State of Texas, amending said Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 9a, which shall read as follows:

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Section 9a. The Legislature is authorized and directed to provide for the creation, establishment, construction, maintenance and repair of a system of improved highways throughout the State to be under the control of the State; and in order that the State may provide the means, revenues and instrumentalities the establishment and maintenance of such system of highways, the Legislature is empowered to levy and cause to be collected specific excise and ad valorem taxes, in addition of those permitted for other purposes in the Constitution, but such an ad valorem tax shall be imposed only for the purpose of retiring the bonds authorized by vote of the people of this State as provided for hereinafter in this Section.

When said system shall have been designated and taken over for the State as provided in Section A hereof, the Legislature is authorized to make provision for the equitable compensation to such counties for the value of such improvements as have been theretofore constructed by the Counties in the State.

Provided, also that save for the State highway system, in all other respects, Counties shall have the right to build, construct and maintain roads, turnpikes, and bridges within their respective boundaries and the Constitutional provisions relating thereto are not qualified or repealed by reason hereof.

The Legislature, at any Regular or Special Session, is authorized and directed to pass and enact all appropriate legislation necessary to carry out and effectuate the purpose and intent of these Articles.

Sec. 2. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to cause to be issued his necessary proclamation for an election to be held on the fourth Saturday in July, 1923, at which election this amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this State for adoption or rejection and shall make the publication required by the Constitution and Laws of the State. Said election shall be held under and in accordance with the General Election Laws of the State, and the ballots for said election shall have printed or written thereon in plain letters the following words:

"OFFICIAL BALLOT": "For the amendment to Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for a State system of highways." "Against the amendment to Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for a State system of highways."

Those voters who favor such amendment shall erase by marking a line through the words "Against the Amendment to Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for a State system of high ways." Those who oppose such amendment shall erase by marking a line through them, the words, "For the amendment to Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for a State system of highways." And the result of the election shall be published and declared according to the majority of the votes cast in such election.

Sec. 3. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purpose of paying the necessary expenses of the proclamation and publication of this amendment and the election to be held hereunder.

S. L. STAPLES,
Secretary of State.
(11-18-25-2)

SHERIFF'S SALE

STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Limestone.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Bexar County, of the 2nd day of June, 1923, by the District Clerk of said Bexar County, for the sum of $2,010.17 and costs of suit, under an Order of Sale and Foreclosure Lien, in favor of Ethel T. Drought and H. P. Drought, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 32790B and styled H. P. Drought & Company vs. J. H. Gibson et al, placed in my hands for service, I, Whit Popejoy as sheriff of Limestone cunty, Texas, did, on the 5th day of June 1923, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Limestone county, Texas, described as follows to-wit: All that certain tract of land, being eighty seven and one fourth (87¼) acres out of the N. C. Rojon Eleven Leagues in Limestone County, Texas, described as follows: Beginning at the Southwest corner of the 36 acre tract of land, conveyed by A. A. Jayre to N. S. Archer by deed recorded in book 55 page 485 Deed Records of Limestone county, Texas; thence North 35 West 540 varas to the Northwest corner of said tract, a stake on the South line of a 289 acre tract sold by Holiday to McKenzie; Thence South 55 West 104 varas; thence North 35 West 63 varas; thence South 55 west 321 varas to the upper Southwest corner of said 269 acre tract, this point being the northwest corner of a 65 acre tract heretofore conveyed to R. E. Wills by I. Shields; thence North 35 West 167 varas, more or less, to the Northeast corner of a 21½ acre tract conveyed to R. E. Wills by P. K. McKenzie, this point being the Southeast corner of Sam Cox's home tract; thence South 55 West 294 varas to stake in branch; thence in a southeasterly direction with the meanders of said branch to the Southeast corner of said 21¼ acre tract, and the Southwest corner of the 65 acre tract hereinabove mentioned, a stake in said branch; thence North 55 East 425 varas to the place of beginning, and levied upon as the property of J. H. Gibson and wife, Laura Gibson, and I. B. Sadler and that on the first Tuesday in July 1923, the same being the 3rd day of said month, at the Court House door of Limestone County in the town of Groesbeck, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale, I will sell above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said J. H. Gibson and wife, Laura Gibson, and I. B. Sadler.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Mexia Daily News, a newspaper published in Limestone County.

Witness my hand, this 5th day of June, 1923.

Whit Popejoy,
Sheriff Limestone County, Texas.
By N. P. Harris, Deputy. (7-14-21)

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Limestone.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Limestone County, of the 5th day of June 1923, by the District Clerk of said Limestone for the sum of Fifteen Hundred Nine-three 62-100 ($1593.62) Dollars and costs of suit under an Order of Sale and Attachment, in favor of Bradford Supply Company, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 3464B and styled Bradford Supply Company vs. Revere Oil Company, placed in my hands for service, I, Whit Popejoy, as Sheriff of Limestone county, Texas, did, on the 6th day of June, 1923, levy on certain Personal Property situated in Limestone County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

One Standard Oil Rig complete.
One Ajax Engine 12x12, complete.
One Rubber Drilling Belt.
2 Bull ropes.
1 4½ inch drilling stem.
2 6⅝ bits.
4075 feet ⅞ drilling line.
1 set 5½ drilling jars.
2 5 inch floor wrenches.
Jack and circle complete.
16 ⅝ inch control head.
Crane and hoist complete.
1 set 5½ inch three prouge grabs.
1 half section boiler top.
2 3-2 inch floor wrenches.
4100 feet of sand line 9-16 inch.
2 3-16 bitts.
1 oil spider 12¼ inch with ring.
1 40 H. P. boiler.
1 250 bbl. steel tank.
1 1600 gal. wooden tank.
15 joints 10 inch casing.
24 joints 6⅝ inch casing.
20 joints 4 inch pipe line and rotary.
About one mile of 4 inch pipe line.
One 4 H. P. Nova water engine, complete, No. 5S68A.
One Pyle generator, Type E.
2 steel tool boxes.
3645 feet 6⅝ casing in hole.

And all of the leasehold estate for Oil and Gas rights in and under and that may be produced from Block 1 and Block 2 in Bratton's Addition to the town of Kosse, Texas, and shown on the map and plat of said addition made by R. S. Hunnicutt, all pipe and connections located thereon or used in connection therewith, and levied upon as the property of Revere Oil Company, and that on the 20th of June, 1923, the same being the 20th day of said month, at Kosse, Texas, in Limestone County, in the town of Kosse, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale and Attachment, I will sell said above described personal property at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Revere Oil Company.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Mexia Daily News, a newspaper published in Limestone County.

Witness my hand, this 6th day of June, 1923.

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Widows and Orphans Among Chief Losers From Unsound Currency.

E. E. AGGER CITES EXPERIENCE

Speculators Rather Than Investors and Producers Win From Currency Depreciation.

The losses and costs borne by the government and the people of the United States from unsound money experiments, from colonial times down, doubtless total more than our staggering World War appropriations, it is declared by E. E. Agger, an authority on economics, in the Journal of the American Bankers' Association. "Cheap money," he says, is very costly, since frenzied finance, speculation and business disaster have invariably followed in the wake of unsound currency. He cites historical experience showing that widows and orphans were among the chief sufferers.

"New generations of adults, like children, have to learn over and over again that, when playing with fire, one runs the risk of being burned," Mr. Agger says. "Indulging currency heresies constitutes such an adult playing-with-fire. A glance over our own historical experience would demonstrate this to the most ardent 'easy money' advocate, but such advocates are usually those to whom history is 'bunk.'

Soft Money Advocates Seek Profit

"Unfortunately those who are willing to kindle the kind of conflagration involved in 'soft-money' experimentation are not the only ones hurt. Indeed, they may extort an advantage for themselves. But the record is all too clear concerning the mass of people. Heavy losses, injustice, disorganized production and numerous other evils are inevitable.

"Unsound money projects impose heavy costs on the government itself. The first effect of cheap money is to raise prices. Mounting prices mean that, to meet its needs, the government must appropriate always larger sums. Again, dallying with unsound money weakens the government's credit. Prospective bond buyers become hesitant when currency depreciation is threatened, because there is danger of agitation toward the payment of government obligations in the cheaper money rather than in specie. Any such weakening of goverment credit means lower prices received for bonds, consequently greater burdens on the Treasury. Assuming that, in the end, sound principles triumph, the indulgences of the unsound currency days leave further costs to be met. If paper money has been issued it must be redeemed. If a government be unwilling to stoop to repudiation it must raise much more in taxes to pay for the paper money than it received at the time of issue."

The total effect of paper issues in increasing the cost of the Civil War is estimated at about $600,000,000, Mr. Agger says, continuing:

"Much more serious than the costs of unsound currency to the government are the heavy direct and indirect costs imposed upon the people. Our productive system is controlled through prices, and the upset of prices, caused by a depreciating currency, interferes with the proper harmonizing of the different lines of production. Price changes are not instantaneously or uniformly effected throughout the whole system. The result of an inflationary movement is a stimulation of speculation and over-investment in some lines, with inadequate development in other lines. The period of speculation seems a period of prosperity, but how false and unsound is such prosperity is disclosed in the stress and agony of the inevitable period of liquidation which, Nemesis-like, follows on the heels of the boom."

Wealth Unfairly Re-distributed

Mr. Agger then describes "the distressing effects of an unsound money on the distribution of wealth among classes and individuals. Cheapening money through inflationary expedients is a gigantic fraud upon the creditor classes as against debtors. All those dependent on fixed incomes, or receiving specified sums in terms of money, are penalized when the purchasing power of money is depressed. In like manner the stockholder profits at the expense of the bondholder—a fact which implies a reward to the more speculatively inclined at the expense of the conservative.

"Advancing prices cause discontent and give rise to agitation and unrest among those whose incomes cannot promptly be adjusted to meet higher living costs. Strikes are fomented and production is curtailed. Everybody shares in these burdens. Lack of stability in money also undermines and weakens habits of thrift. A corrosion of the moral integrity of the people is inevitable. Dishonesty is stimulated and a desire to gain by speculation rather than to earn a livelihood by productive and useful labor causes a marked deterioration in popular habits and character."

EDISONS'S SON GETS JOB WITHOUT QUESTIONNAIRE

Although he is opposed to colleges, Thomas A. Edison, the electrical wizard, sent his son, T. M. Edison, through Massachusetts Institute of Technology, in Boston. Young Edison is shown here receiving his degree as electrical engineer from President Samuel W. Stratton. Edison left at once for his father's plant in Orange, New Jersey, where he got a job without having to answer the famous Edison questionnaire.

BORDER BONE DRY

WASHINGTON, June 20.—Appropriations for the establishment of a "border patrol" approximately 1,000 men to police the Canadian and Mexican borders and make the United States "air tight" against the "bootlegging" of aliens into the country, may soon be asked of oCngress.

This was indicated by Secretary of Labor Davis today following a conferenec with Assistant Secretary White. The latter was called before Davis to report on a conference held recently in oMntreal between officials of the Labor Department and United States immigration inspectors stationed along the Canadian border. This conference was held to devise measures to stop the illegal entrance o faliens into the United States throrgh Canada.

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Announcement has been made by the Southern Pacific Railway Company that they have installed a special package car service from Mexia to Corsicana. Freight loaded in the station any time previous to noon will be delivered at Corsicana next morning. This service is given daily except on Sunday. They will handle all classes of merchandise usually shipped in package cars. This service will be open to shippers of oil field supplies, groceries, and any other class of shipable merchandise.

This means that the car is loaded here in Mexia and is carried to Corsicana without being opened and is unloaded there.

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FOR SALE—$57 Rex typewriter, guaranteed practically as good as new, $15 takes it. See P. J. Bounds at News or call at 210 S. Ross.

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Grafton Moody, of Coolidge was a Mexia visitor Wednesday.

GOVERNING BODY OF KLAN IN SECRET SESSION NOW IS CONSIDERING DR. EVANS

ATLANTA, Ga., June 20.—The kloncilium, governing body of the Ku Klux Klan, issued behind closed doors here today charges of mismanagement preferred recently against Imperial Wizard H. W. Evans in a petition for receivership of the order.

Emperor William Joseph Sommons and Imperial Kludd (or chaplain) Dr. C. A. Ridley, with two other Klan officials withdrew from the conference today, it was reported, when they disagreed as to action to be taken relative to the accusations.

Simmons and his faction are said to favor condemnation of the Evans regime.

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FOR RENT—Nicely furnished two room apartments. $4 and $5 per week. 812 E. Palestine street 20L4

LOST—Black bill fold, contained two or three $5.00 bills and Masonic receipts made to Oley Hale. Return to News office and receive reward. 20D2

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Tom Nolan is in Corsicana every day now, going up each morning to take charge of the office of Nolas and Day in that place.

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Mrs. Ben Howard has as her guest Mrs. E. E. Rains of Oklahoma City,

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For Sale by MEXIA DRUG COMPANY

TYPE OF ROAD

(Continued from Page 1)

Uvalde rock asphalt topping, or some other bituminous surfacing of equal value. This announcement was received with gratification and all those present were highly pleased to hear Colonel Humphreys say that work would likely begin with in the next three weeks.

The type of road to be built, it has been estimated, can be constructed at the rate of about a mile a month so it would therefore seem, on its face, that it is highly important to have construction begin at once.

There were several matters discussed by the Board that were referred to the Industrial Committee, among them being a Creamery proposition and an Abattoir proposition. The secretary was instructed to work out details with the Industrial Committee.

On a report from the Secretary it was instructed to invite Col. R. C. Duff, president of the Waco, Beaumont, Trinity and Sabine Railroad company to visit Mexia on Monday or Tuesday June 25 or 26th and in line with this instruction a letter was sent to Col. Duff Tuesday night and a report will be made to the public on receipt of his reply.

The following resolution regarding the work of President Geo. E. Petty was unanimously passed. One of the Directors exclaimed when the resolution was offered, "You cannot make it too strong for me."

"On account of the highly efficient, patriotic and unselfish service of our fellow townsman, Geo. E. Petty as President of this organization during the year just passed.

Be It Resolved, that this Board of Directors unanimously goes on record in an expression of thanks and appreciation to our retiring President.

That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Mr. Petty by the Secretary,

That a copy be given the Daily News, and

That it be made a part of the record and minutes of this organization.

Be It Further Resolved, that this shall be an invitation to him to attend our councils at all times and to continue to make the office of the Chamber of Commerce his headquarters."

Since writing the above a telegram has been received from Col. R. C. Duff that he must be in St Louis and New York next week and would be unable to visit Mexia until the latter part of July.

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Evidences that The Mexia Daily News Circulation Campaign is meeting with the approval of the reading public continue to pour into the office. A number of rural subscribers came in yesterday and took advantage of the reduced rates and each mail brings us several new subscribers. This bargain rate will only last until July 15th and after that date we will positively go back to the original price See your neighbor today and form a club to take advantage of this liberal offer that cannot be duplicated. We are offering you a daily paper for the price of a weekly. We want to place our paper in every home in the Mexia trade territory and particularly on the rural routes out of Mexia. If you have a friend or relative outside of the zone designated that you would like to have the paper mailed to, you may include it in your club at club rates. Our special offer is for mail subscriptions only, and does not apply to subscriptions where delivered by carrier.

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Since the opening of our Great CLOSING OUT SALE some few days ago, ladies and misses from every part of the country have visited our Ready-to-wear Department and hundreds of them have bought garments of various kinds. The quality, style and price sold them.

We still have what many would call a big stock on hand. This must be sold too, before the final date of our Closing Out Sale, July 14th. To do this we have cut the prices unmercifully! We have absolutely disregarded all former prices and our one aim is to dispose of this stock.

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THREE DIE IN WINNSBORO SHOOTING AFFRAY

Harding Now On Way To Alaska

By LAWRENCE MARTIN
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, June 20.—President Harding leaves Washington today, ready, after a week's intensive preparation, to give to the country, while enroute to Alaska, an accounting for his administration.

While he disclaims any political significance in his tour he has prepared speeches on several of the big issues for 1924, including transportation problems, the wet and dry issue, difficulties of the farmer and taxes and tariff.

Until almost train time, the President continued to work on the first batch of speches he will deliver on his swing through the west.

Beginning at St. Louis tomorrow night with a speech on the world court, he will end his out-bound speaking trip on July 5, at Tacoma, Wash., where he boards the Navy transport Henderson for Alaska.

Once more restored to health, Mrs. Harding appeared equal to a journey which may break all mileage records for presidential marathons.

The President and his party will cover over 15,000 miles by train, boat and motor, before returning to the White House by way of the Panama Canal two months hence. Including his side trips, it is believed he will exceed by 15,000 miles swing around the circle made by President Taft in 1911.

There are approximately seventy in the presidential party, traveling on a special train of ten cars. Among them were Secretary of Interior and Mrs. Work; Mrs. Hoover, secretary to the President and Mrs. George B. Christian, Jr.., Speaker Gillette, Admiral Rodman and Brig. Gen and Mrs. C. E. Sawyer.

Secretary of Agriculture Wallace will join the party at Denver, where the President delivers an address on law enforcement next Monday. Secretary of Commerce Hoover joins the party at Tacoma.

Sailing from Tacoma for Alaska on July 5, the Prehident will arrive in Ketchikan, July 7, Wrangell, July 8; Juneau, July 10, and Seward, July 13. At Seward he will board a special train on the Government rail road and spend six days going up the line to Anchorage. Chicaloon, Nenana, and Fairbanks, the Northern terminus. There he will double back, taking the Richardson trail, connecting with the Kennecott railroad.

The party is due to arrive in Cordova on July 19, and to sail the same day for Sitka, arriving there on July 21. The President is scheduled to speak in Vancouver, B. C., July 26, and the next day in Seattle. On his trip down the Pacific coast he will speak in Portland, July 28; San Francisco, July 31; Los Angeles, Aug. 1, and San Diego, on Aug. 4. Side trips will be made to Yosemite Park and Catalina Islands.

New C. of C. Directors Hold Meeting Tuesday

JESSICA BROWN MAY WED IN CANADA.

This is the latest photograph of beautiful Jessica Brown, New York dancer, who is engaged to marry the youthful Scottish Earl of Northesk, formerly an officer in the Coldstream Guards. The Earl is in America for the wedding, but the couple has been refused a marriage license in New York, following the declaration of Cyril de Witt Reinhard, her former husband, that her divorce is not legal. It is now reported they will go to Canada for the wedding.

Flow From Twelve Mt. Etna Craters Is Now Decreasing

CATANIA, Sicily, June 20.—The destructive flood of molten lava flowing from twelve craters of Etna decreased today.

Two more tiny townships were completely seared from the face of the earth by fiery streams during the night and the railroad station at Castiglione was submerged, but hopes were entertained that more important cities might be spared.

The town of Giarre, which had 20,000 inhabitants, has been completely evacuated only caribiniers and military remaining.

Unless fresh explosions and eruptions occur, however, it is believed the worst may be over. The lava is forming a crust and advancing more and more slowly.

Destruction of the little village of Piedemonte began this morning. Houses went down in flames as white hot masses, now resembling a glacier, crept towards them.

Inhabitants of Cerro, witnessing the destruction of Piedemonte, dug a number of deep trenches, in hopes of deflecting the course of lava stream that bore down on their homes.

The molten stream came on, filled the trenches, rolled up over them and engulfed the town.

Lingra Glossa seems for the moment to have been spared. While its inhabitants were parading with the statue of St. Egidius, credited with having diverted the lava from the city. A party from Castiglione attacked them, trying to seize the saint for use in saving the latter town. Soldiers intervened and stopped the fight.

Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Beck have returned from their pilgrimage with Karem Temple, attending the big Shrine meeting in Washington.

There will be a called meeting of Springfield Lodge, A. F. and A. M. tonight at 8 o'clock for degree work. Visitors are always welcome.—M. B. Webb, W. M.

WEATHER OR NO.

Tonight and Thursday partly cloudy.

Type of Road Decided On By Court

The newly elected, or rather the re-elected, Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce began their management of the affairs of the organization by meeting at the office of the Chamber of Commerce in the City Hall, Tuesday afternoon at 4 p .m. with the following present:

Col. A. E. Humphreys, chairman of the Advisory Board.
John H. Sweatt, President.
L. S. Patterson, Vice-president
A. H. Eubanks, Vice-president
J. K. Hughes
Blake Smith
J. W. Prickett
R. F. Babb
Cox Brodnax
John Phillips
Allen L. Hatch
Benton Jones
Gene Sinclair
Phil Karner
Ben F. Stollenwerck, Secretary.
H. L. Hall, Assistant Secretary.

The first matter to come up for consideration was a 4th of July celebration and it was decided that the Secretary be instructed to circulate a closing up agreement in order that employees of stores and business houses might celebrate the Fourth as they see fit, and in accordance with this instruction, a closing up agreement will be circulated within the next few days, probably the latter part of the present week.

It appears that there are going to be several entertainments at nearby places and in one instance the Chamber of Commerce has been asked not to have a counter attraction. More definite announcements with reference to this will be made later.

The Mexia base ball club will play a double header at Corsicana on July 4th, and it is understood that a movement is already on foot to have a special train for that day.

The financial affairs of the organization were brought up for discussion. The following committee, which will constitute the regular financial committee, was appointed to consider these matters as well as the employment of the office force, and instructed to meet Wednesday morning:

Blake Smith, Chairman.
J. K. Hughes
J. W. McLendon
N. Hollingsworth
L. S. Patterson

Col. Humphreys reported that he had just returned from Groesbeck where the County Commissioners and County Judge had agreed on the type of road they would favor building from a connection with Belknap street extending four miles along the X-All highway. He said that they had agreed on a water bound, rock base 18 feet wide, 6 inches thick, covered with 1½ to 2 inches of

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Report Bankrupt's Wife Received $1,500,000

Louise Groody, musical comedy dancer and wife of Frank W. McGee, self-confessed bankrupt bucket-shop operator, of E. M. Fuller & Company, which failed in New York for $6,000,000, is in Paris. The authorities are anxious to question her regarding the report that $1,500,000 of the Fuller & Company assets were transferred to her name shortly before the failure.

FIRST PHOTOGRAPH OF WINNER OF ENGLISH DERBY.

Papyrus, owned by Barney Irish, is shown winning the world-famous English Derby at Epsom Downs, in the presence of a record-breaking crowd. The horse was ridden by Jockey Steve Donoghue, this being the third time this rider has piloted a winner in this classic race.

Bergdoll's Brother Arrested Again Upon Serving 3 Year Term

LEAVENWORTH, Kans., June 20.—Erwin Bergdoll, brother of Grover Cleveland Bergdoll, was reasarstde and charged with conspiracy to evade the draft as he stepped from the federal prison this afternoon. He has served three years for evading the draft. New warrants were served immediately. He is to be arraigned in Kansas City.

Groesbeck Group Sees Davidson As Governor In 1924

New Club Declares Faith in 'Native Son' by Message

A "Lynch Davidson for Governor" club has been organized by the citizns of Groesbeck, Texas, according to a report received Saturday by Mr. Davidson at Houston. The report in part was as follows:

"Attesting their faith in a native son, practically every person in Groesbeck has been enrolled in the Lynch Davidson for Governor club which was organized in this city this week. It has not been learned definitely that Mr. Davidson will be a candidate for governor next year, but his many friends here wished to show their appreciation for his services as lieutenand governor and at the same time express a desire to see him elected chief executive of this great State. Which position they fell he is capable to fill with credit to the people of the State."

Mr. Davidson's infancy and youth were spent in Limestone county, at and around Groesbeck, though he has not lived there for 25 years. His first campaign speech for lieutenant governor was made there. If he enters the race for governor next year he will likely again deliver his initial campaign address at Groesbeck.

The former lieutenant governor was not aware of the organization of the Groesbeck club until informed of its completion by the secretary of the Groesbeck Chamber of Commerce.

"You may not quite understand my feelings in the matter." he wrote in response, "but I think this voluntary act on the part of my old friends has stirred my emotions more than any single thing that has ever happened to me in my career of ups and downs It is a tribute from those I love, living in the land of my nativety."

No public announcement of his candidacy for governor has been made, although Mr. Davidson stated Saturday that thousands of friends over the State have urged him to make the race. It is generally anticipated that he wil do so, basing his candidacy upon the issue of a business administration.

Fred H. McJunkin, the genial and popular manager of the Southland hotel in Dallas, was a visitor in Mexia Tuesday and paid the News office a pop call.

Iowa Senator Is Pleased To See Interest In Farms

By JOHN GRAUDENZ
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

MOSCOW, June 20. — Senator Smith Brookhart of Iowa, who has been touring part of this country's farm domains is much impressed by the attention which the Russian government is paying to the development of agriculture.

The Senator also visited Kiev and voiced admiration for the children's colony, known as Lenin Town, which has been established there. He said it was a model for both Europe and America.

The friendly relations which existed between the peasants and the Government were commented on by Brookhart.

Completing his Russian trip with a tour through Ukrainian wheat regions, Senator Brookhart sailed from Odessa.

MORE JURYMEN NEEDED AT TOM ROSS TRIAL

LUBBOCK, Texas, June 20.—Seven more jurymen are needed to fill the panel for the trial of Tom Ross, charged with the murder of Dave Allison. Selection is proceeding without hitch and few are present at the questioning of veniremen, many of whom were excused on ground of illness or having formed an opinion as to guilt or innocence.

No Cause For Trouble Is Known

Winnsboro, Texas, June 20.—Three persons are dead as the result of a shooting at the home of W. K. Bradford, 50, this morning.

The dead are Bradford, C. C. Chapman, son-in-law, and Bradford's daughter, Mrs. C. C. Chapman. It is believed that Bradford shot and killed the two and then committed suicide, using a shot gun and a pistol. Mrs. Bradford, downstairs, heard the shots and rushing up stairs found the bodies in the bed room. Champan and wife lived with the Bradfords. Chapman was the son of State Banking Commissioner J. L. Chapman. Bradford is said to have been in ill health. No cause for the tragedy is known, unless financial troubles of Chapman caused Bradford to worry.

COCO COLA KING MARRIES TODAY

ATLANTA, Ga., June 20.—Asa G. Candler, Sr., multi-millionaire, founder of the Coca Cola company, was married to Mrs. May Little Ragin, a widow and mother of two children.

FIVE DIE IN WAVE OF HEAT IN "CHI"

CHICAGO, June 20.—Five more deaths were caused by the heat wave, bringing the total to thirteen in the last three days, it was reported over night. Hot weather, with the mercury around 90, is prevalent over most of the middle west.

Todd's Sentence Changed To Pen From The Noose

DALLAS, June 20.—Wayne Todd, 18, who was to have been executed Thursday in connection with the death of James McNeal in September, 1921, will be taken from the jail here to the State penitentiary today or tomorrow. Todd's sentence was cummuted to life imprisonment by GGovernor Neff late yesterday.

Todd was convicted of murder along with two companions, Forrest Dawson and Cecil Jensen, but was the only one of the trio to receive the death sentence.

In announcing the commutation of the sentence, Governor Neff declared Todd should not be punished more than the other two.

"I am very grateful to Governor Neff", were Todd's first words on being informed of the governor's action.

The three boys hired McNeal, a taxi driver, to drive them to a picnic. McNeal was slain and the three were charged with the murder.

Todd denied he struck the blow that killed McNeal.

GIRL MURDERED

TYLER, Texas, June 20.—Investigation is under way into the mysterious death of Miss Gussie Coombs, 17, whose body was found in her bedroom this morning by her parents. Bruises were found on the body. She retired last night in her usual good health. Her parents declared that they heard no sounds of violence. Several witnesses are to be questioned by the grand jury.

Smiling Girl Bandit Proves To Be A Man

CHICAGO, June 20.—"Mrs. Francis Thompson," 32, identified as the "smiling, blue-eyed girl bandit," who killed Richard C. Tesmer, was unmasked as a man by physicians today.

Dr. David Jones, city physician and Dr. Clara Sieppel, of morals court, made the examination, disclosing one of the strangest cases of masculine and feminine personalities ever brought before Chicago police.

"Mrs. Thompson" was arrested yesterday and identified by Mrs. Richard Tesmer, as the "girl" who killed the latter's husband during a robbery in the rear of the Tesmer "Gold Coast" home. She was dressed in feminine attire and claimed to police to be sexually abnormal.

The prisoner now on police records as Fred C. Thompson, has been the legal "wife" of Frank Thompson, also known as Frank Carrick, for thirteen years, she and Thompson, also held, told police.

For hours after the arrest and identification, "Mrs. Thompson" convinced police, physicians and newspaper men that he was a woman, with an abnormal feminine and masculine nature. Preparations were made to take "her" to the woman's detention when Drs. Jones and Sieppel made the discovery of sex and police placed the prisoner in the men's ward at the Hyde Park station.

OIL

Large numbers today are visiting the Rosson well, Northwest of town about seven miles. Bailing was begun early this morning and continued without interruption for the next two hours. It was soon apparent that water was encroaching almost as rapidly as the bailer could bring it out.

Mr. Williams stated that he felt certain that he had a commercial producer if this water could be shut off. He stated that he next thing would be an attempt to plug the water back. In case these efforts fail, a new test will be drilled offsetting the present hole to the Southwest, where a derrick is already up.

A rotary will be used in going down to the sands which will be tested which will be around 1800 feet.

The casing in the original hole was set to a depth of 1726 feet.

At Powell new derricks are looming up daily, while material for the development of the field is being rushed out of here by truck and train in a continuous stream.

Mildred, on the T. & B. V., is the scene of much activity, where there is considerable building. Considerable field equipment is being loaded at that point.

Army and Navy May Be Running Booze Runners By Night

By WILLIAM J. LOSH.
United Press Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, June 20.—The Army and Navy may be moving against bootleggers and rum runners before dusk tonight.

The ruling asked of the Department of Justice by President Harding as to whether he has power under the law to train the guns of the country's military and Naval forces against wilful offenders breaching the country's dry barriers may be delivered to the White House today before the President leaves for the West.

The entire force of theDepartment of Justice today was concentrated upon putting the ruling into final form.

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CENTRAL TEXAS PRESS
By N. P. Houx.

WITHOUT COMMENT

Pathetic beyond words are the annual gatherings in reunion, of the veterans of the Civil War—Union and Confederate. Their ranks are thinning fast. Fewer and fewer assemble each succeeding year in encampments. Ere long the last survivors of that great struggle—the last veteran of the blue and the last veteran of the grey—will have been mustered into the ranks of the army eternal. Cherish these gallant men while yet they tarry upon earch.—Bonham News.

A Central East Texas paper chronicles the death of one of its leading citizens, and from the tone of the obituary notice, he was evidently a non-advertiser and had probably refused to loan the editor money. Here's what he says: "He was a man of push, he played marbles when a boy for keeps and cheated all his playmates out of their alleys; he swapped a bladeless knife, unseen, for a four-blader, sold it for fifty cents, bought a pound of sugar made a barrel of lemonade, which he sold on circus day for eight dollars. He started in business and sold tough meat for choice cuts and made a fortune. When he got a thousand dollars he organized a company for five million dollars, mostly water, and sold at par. When the company busted, it was found that he had sold out some time before. When he died he was a millionaire and left all his money here. It is very warm where he is now."—Mineral Wells Index.

An East Texas editor has married a school marm. We can't offer the lady much enocuragement. She will probably find her spouse both incorrigible and unteachable. Editors get awfully sot in their ways. Their training for matrimony ought to begin, under the tutelage of some good woman, by the time they reach their teens. But we do congratulate the groom. He will have a sweet, companionable wife, as all men have who married school marms; and, best of all, she being trained to remunerative employment, he has a fine prospect, in times of poor collections and rotton business, of finding a fire on the hearth and a wholesome ration in the larder. May a world of happiness be theirs.—Terrell Transcript.

A stereotype plate house has offered to furnish us "free" in plate form a line of "bull" prepared by the American Banker's association. This is propoganda in the interest of the big bankers who control the finances of the country. As we see it, the press should reject this free propaganda stuff unless they are thoroughly familiar with the argument and consider it worthy. The first article attempts to "expose" the Edison-Ford money idea. Now we know "big money" does not like Henry Ford, because Henry whipped them to a standstill when they tried to break him. We have more confidence in Henry and Edison than in all the Jew bankers in the world.—Fairfield Recorder.

And now Governor Al Smith of New York says he is not going to be a candidate for the presidential nomination. That is too bad. There are any number of people who have been hoping that Al would have a chance to find out exactly what the people of the United States think of him.—Carthage (Mo.) Evening Press.

This is what a correspondent in Germany says of the extra-ordinary power of Hugo Stinnes has over the economic life of that country: "From his own porperties Stinnes can build and light my house and supply me with all the housekeeping utensils I can use in it. He can provide me with reading matter, whether daily news or improving literature. He can feed me on meat, bread and jam. He can give me medicine when I am sick, and when I am well he can take me on a pleasure cruise in his own ships and put me up at his own hotels. Moreover, he prints the money with which I pay him." A modern Colossus indeed, who aspires to control Germany politically as well as financially and commercially.—Mart Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Sandford Smith and daughter, returned today from Dallas where they have been visiting for the

JOE BURNETT
(of Eastland)
announces his candidacy for
Governor of Texas

SCREEN DEATHS FOR M. COSTELLO EXCITE NO FEAR

Maurice Costello has died so many times, in so many ways on the screen that he thought there were no new deaths for him to portray. But Director Allan Dwan prepared another variety of "passing out" for the veteran screen player in his new Paramount production. "The Glimpses of the Moon," which comes to the National theatre, Thursday, and in which Bebe Daniels and Nita Naldi are featured.

In fifteen years before the camera, during which time he starred in several hundred photoplays, ranging from one reelers to feature length productions, Mr. Costello has protrayed almost every kind of death for the ingenious scenario writers and directors have been able to devise for him. He met the noble death of "Sidney Carton" in "The Tale of Two Cities" and the ignominious end of Benedict Arnold, as well as all the intervening shades of the art of dying. He has been strangled and choked and shot and beaten to death, and out of it all has come the ability to simulate death so well that not even the reveaiing close-up is able to catch signs of life when Costello feigns death on the screen.

In his role of "Fred Gillow" in "The Glimpses of the Moon," Mr. Costello comes to a violent end by falling over a balustrade nine feet to the floor of a lodge at St. Moritz. This fall is the result of his effort to stop his wife, played by Nita Naldi, from leaving his home because he has ordered Nick Lansing, whom she loves to leave the house.

Mr. Costello made the fall himself, and Paramount screen patrons will witness one of the most breath-taking scenes ever filmed, when they see Maurice Costelo and a new post, which he clutched, go crashing through the air to seemingly certain destruction. David Powell is leading man in the production.

Irish Plot To Blow Up Buckingham Pal

BELFAST, June 20.—The outline of an alleged Irish Republican plot to attack and blow up Buckingham Palace, while bridges, railways and GoGvernment property were being simultaneously destroyed throughout England, was published here today by the Northern Whig.

The Unionist paper understands that the scheme was prepared before the recent round-up of Sinn Feiners in London.

Women spies had made themselves conversant with every movement of the Palace guards, the paper alleges. It was planned that at a given signal they should rush the guards and overpower them. Carefully selected parties of men then would proceed to the destruction, while other hands set fire to railway stations and bombed principal lines.

TWO ARRESTED

Deputy J. R. Wright of the Constable's Department took a Ford car and arrested two men this morning on the Tehuacana pike with a quart of corn liquor. All of the City Officers have been waging a little war on the liquor traffic these days, and it is very frequent happening for them to bring in offenders of the Volstead act.

Constable Thompson reports things very quiet with the exception of the above.

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Near Lynching At Savannah, Ga. Negro Assaulter

SAVANNAH, Ga., June 20.—Forty nine persons were arrested in connection with the attempted lynching of Walter Lee, a negro, during which one man was killed and several injured. State troops patrolled the vicinity of the jail. The negro prisoner is charged with attempted assault. Soldiers were called when a mob tried to stone the jail. Bricks stones and clubs were used by the mob. Firemen played water on the crowd to disperse it. After shots were fired into the mobe, it broke up.

Oklahoma A. & M. Row Still Rowing

STILLWATER, Okla., June 20.—Dr. Alexander Meiklejohn, deposed of the Amherst, Mass., college, found a staunch defender in eGorge C. Wilson, storm head of the Oklahoma A. & M. college here today.

"'Only he who is constructively dissatisfied, ever causes advancement,' such is Miklejohn," Wilson declared.

The Aggie college head who recently banned the classic language from the school's curriculum as "dead issues," denounced the Amherst college trustee as "fossilized pieces of antiquity," and declared that "they who deride Miklejohn today will honor him tomorrow."

"'Merry-go-round' thinking is the greatest weakness of American scholars today," Wilson stated. "They think ni the manner o ftheir grandfathers. They are as obsolete as the pantalette.

"Men like Miklejohn would be an asset to any school of the country today," Wilson declared.

Quiet At Savannah Following Big Riot

SAVANNAH, Ga., June 20.—Savannah was quiet today following a riot last night during which one man was killed and several injured in an attempt to storm the jail in which Walter Lee, negro, was imprisoned.

Sheriff Merrit Dixon called on military authorities for assistance when a mob of 2,000 persons swarmed about the pail intent on lynching the negro.

Shortly afte a military patrol arrived one section of the crowd became threatening and a volley was fired into the throng. C. C. Parker, Jr., was killed and several others injured.

The volley dispersed the mob.

Parker was shot through the stomack by a stray bullet and died a few minutes later.

Lee was held in jail on charge of assaulting a white woman.

KALAMAZOO, Mich., June 20.—Arthur B. Williams, Republican was elected United States congressman from the Third Michigan District in the special district election yesterday.

Complete count from the five counties gave Williams 9,066 votes against 8,606 for Claude S. Cartey, Democrat.

Williams' victory was declared to be an approval of the Harding Administration, as he ran for the place solely on the record of the administration.

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—A very pretty material for making summer frocks; 36 inches wide and worth 35c per yard. Placed on sale for Dollar Day only at 4 yards..... $1

Mavis Talcum Powder
—One lot of Mavis Talcum Powder; regularly selling at 35c per can; Dollar Day 5 for..... $1

Ladies Silk Hose
—One lot of ladies' silk hose; our regular $1.25 and $1.50 grades, in black, brown, and white; full fashion and reinforced heel and toe. On sale Dollar Day at per pair $1

Men's Unions
—One lot of men's knee length summer union suits; made from good grade of dimety checks and nainsook; regularly selling at $1.25 per garment; Dollar Day very special at each..... $1

Khaki Shirts
—One lot of men's khaki work shirts in a full range of sizes; well made and cut full. These shirts sell regularly at $1.25; special Dollar Day, each..... $1

Boys' Summer Play Suits
—Now is the time to purchase that boy of yours a summer play suit. We have reduced our $1.95 grades and place them on sale tomorrow at each..... $1

Brown Domestic
—One lot of 36 inch brown domestic; good sturdy grade; our 20c values; tomorrow, 7 yards..... $1

Boy's Blouses
—One lot of boy's blouses in a pretty assortment of patterns in percale and striped madras. These blouses regularly sell at $1.50; tomorrow very special at each $1

Plaid Ratine
—One lot of 36 inch plaid ratine, very pretty for making sport clothes. This material is our regular 75c grade; placed on sale tomorrow 2 yards..... $1

Silk Pongee
—A very pretty grade for making blouses, 36 inches wide; excellent grade; placed on sale Dallar Day per yard..... $1

Cotton Crepe
—We have several pieces of 36 inch cotton crepe in solid colors. We are reducing this from 50c per yard and placing it on sale Dollar Day at 3 yards..... $1

Dark Voile
—One lot of dark colored voile; pretty assorted paterns with floral and small check designs. We reduce this from 50c per yard and place it on sale tomorrow 3 yards..... $1

Light Voile
—Very desirable for making dresses for the hot summer days. Comes in 40 inch widths; assorted patterns and is a good value at the regular price of 35c per yard. Dollar Day Special 5 yards..... $1

Cotton Crepe
—A good range of colors in cotton crepe. This is our 35c value placed on sale Dollar Day only at 5 yards..... $1

Pajama Checks
—This splendid material worth 35c per yard will be placed on sale Dollar Day only at 5 yards..... $1

Tissue Ginghams
—This is just the time for tissue gingham dresses. Here tomorrow you wlil find the excellent grades of tissues on sale. We are reducing them from $1.00 per yard and placing them on sale for 1½ yards $1

Curtain Scrim
—Pretty for bed, dining, living or bath rooms; values from 20c to 35c per yard. Tomorrow 10 yards..... $1

Table Damask
—One lot of table damask in white and colors. Our 75c grade; placed on sale Dallar Day only at 2 yards..... $1

French Ginghams
—In this lot we have a beautiful assortment of checks, stripes and small plaids. This is our regular 65c grade placed on sale for on day only at 2 yards.... $1

Percale
—One big lot of 36 inch percale; very desirable for making porch and house aprons. Reduced from 25c per yard and placed on sale tomorrow at 6 yards..... $1

Hope Domestic
—One lot of 36 inch hope domestic; known everywhere as being good; reduced from 25c per yards and placed on sale at 6 yards..... $1

Light Percale
—One lot of 27 inch light colored percale, our regular 15c grade; very special Dollar Day only 10 yards..... $1

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"THE STORE AHEAD"

"ALL ABOARD FOR HONG KONG!" SAYS CHARLES M. TOY, AS HE TAKES MILWAUKEE GRANDCHILDREN HOME IN STYLE

Forty-three years ago Charlie Toy, an ambitious young Chinese whose name at home was Moy Toy, left Canton with enough money to get to Oshkosh, Wis. He prospered in Oshkosh, became very well to do in Milwaukee and is now the owner of a big trading company, a restaurant and a theater, as well as the proud grandfather of 11 sturdy young Chinese-Americans, all born in Milwaukee. When people started calling him Charlie, Moy Toy accepted it as part of the "American plan," and now he is Charles M. Toy, still interested in China, but a most enthusiastic and loyal American by adoption.

As everybody knows, ancestors are really venerated in China. Charlie told the grandmothers of the little Milwaukee Chinese that he would take the youngsters to China some day to get acquainted with them and learn the Chinese language. So recently, Charlie Toy left Milwaukee for Vancouver with his 11 grandchildren, their mothers and several other relatives, the entire party numbering 19. Charlie not only knows how to save money, but he isn't slow about spending it, also, when proper occasion arises, and when Charlie travels the sky's the limit. Charlie had a special compartment and drawing-room car for the little Yoks and Chucks to Seattle and Vancouver, and then he installed them in five of the best suites on the Canadian Pacific steamship "Empress of Canada," the biggest as well as one of the swiftest ships on the Pacific Ocean, for the trip to Hong Kong, the same "Empress" which will start on a tour of the world on Jan. 20 next. Charlie lives in a mansion on Fourteenth Street, Milwaukee, and will build a big house of American design at his old home in Canton, China.

"My grandchildren and I are 100% Americans," Charlie told a Milwaukee Sentinel reporter, "and in China we will live under an American flag that will proclaim to all our love for this wonderful land. In the Canton Christian College and in other schools there my grandchildren can learn both English and Chinese. They cannot learn Chinese in Milwaukee." Charlie, all his life, has had but one motto. It is: "Honesty endures."

SOME HARD FACTS ABOUT SOFT MONEY

By JOHN OAKWOOD

When a farmer takes his product to market and sells it for, say, a dollar a bushel, he is dependent upon the honesty of two measures—the dollar and the bushel.

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The other day a crossroads storekeeper got sent to jail for manipulating a trick bushel basket with a false bottom that would slide up and down in a way that was grand, gloomy and mysterious. When using it to measure stuff he bought from a farmer, he'd secretly shove the bottom down until it held at least a bushel and a quarter, but he would only credit him with a bushel. The buying power of the farmer's product was thereby depreciated by about twenty per cent.

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Finally the farmers thereabouts got wise to the fact that the only way they could get what was coming to them was to enforce a reliable standard of measurement. So they put a good stiff jail penalty on using a fake measure, laid for that storekeeper with the trick basket and sent him to prison.

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Politicians in Europe have been manipulating the other measure—the money measure—in much the same way. Some of them in America want to tamper likewise with the dollar. Here is about the way it would work out. Suppose, when the farmer brought his product to market, the basket measure was honest enough and he got a dollar bill for each bushel. He'd take his dollars home and save them. Perhaps he planned to buy some land next his own for a thousand dollars, and figured that in a year or so he could make it.

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But meanwhile the politicians start to manipulate the base of the currency. They would change it from the gold standard to a flat money plan—from a gold guarantee to the mere say-so of the government that a piece of paper was worth a dollar. The farmer wouldn't be watching the money-politicians. He would be too busy raising things. At the end of the year he has his thousand dollars. He takes them to the landowner and says, "I'll buy your land now—here's a thousand dollars."

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But the landowner would say, "That is paper money—my land is worth one thousand dollars gold—the government has printed so much paper money folks haven't much confidence in it. But I am willing to take a chance if you will give me a dollar and a quarter in paper money for each gold dollar's value of my land—in other words, I'll give you my land for $1,250 dollars paper."

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Soft money would be only another way for the money-politicians to hand the farmer the same dirty deal as the basket manipulator. In the first case the farmer unknowingly gave a bushel and a quarter of his product, and in the second case he would have to give a dollar and a quarter of his money, for a dollar's value in return.

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In Germany they have carried the manipulation of the mark so far—well, it seems hardly believable, but if they did the same thing to the dollar, it would take over ten million in paper money to buy that land. The primary producer can raise his prices, but not fast enough to equalize this drop in the gold value of unsound money. That is where the catch comes in.

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Limestone.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Limestone County of the 8th day of June, 1923, by the District Clerk, of said Limestone County, for the sum of Forty Five Hundred ($4500) Dollars and costs of suit, under a Judgment and Foreclosure of Vendors Lien, in favor of W. H. Smith, in a certain cause in said Court No. 2958 B. and styled W. H. Smith vs. John R. Williams et al, placed in my hands for service, I, Whit Popejoy, as Sheriff of Limestone County, Texas, did on the 9th day of June, 1923, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Limestone County, Texas, described, to wit:

First Tract: Out of subdivision 26 in the City of Mexia in Limestone County, Texas, beginning at the NW corner of said tract, thence east with its North line 752 feet to the NE corner, thence south with its E. line to the line of the City limits thence south west with the city limit line to the S line of said subdivision 26 Thence west with said S line 554 feet to the SW corner of same, Thence west with the N line of said subdivision 530 feet, to the beginning, containing 9.72 acres.

Second tract: the undold portion of subdivision C. division 19 beginning at the NW corner subdivision C Thence east with its N line to the south boundary line of the city limits 430 feet; Thence Southwest with the S line of the city limits to SW corner said subdivision 770 feet, Thence North along west line of said subdivision 289 feet to the place of beginning, containing 1.38 acres.

Third Tract: 2.9 acres out of sec. 48 P. Varela XI league grant, beginning at a point 280 feet S 4 deg, E. from the S side of Hopkins street, Thence N 84 deg, 4 min. east 681 feet, Thence North 4 deg west 387 feet to the city limits. Thence with said city limits line 770 feet to the place of beginning; and levied upon as the property of John R. Williams, and that on the first Tuesday in July, 1923, the same being the 3rd day of said month, at the Court House door, of Limestone County, in the town of Groesbeck, Texas, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale and Vendors Lien, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said John R. Williams et al.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Mexia Daily News, a newspaper published in Limestone County.

Witness my hand, this 8th day of June, 1923.

Whit Popejoy,
Sheriff Limestone County, Texas.
By N. P. Harris, Deputy.
(11-18-25)

Mexia Negro Is Boston University Graduate This Year

Timothy B. Echols of Mexia, Texas was honored by the degree of Bachelor of Sacred Theology at the annual commencement of Boston university which was held at Symphony hall on Monday morning, June 18th.

Degrees were conferred upon more than 900 students, the largest graduating class in the history of the university. This is an increase of 37 per cent over last year's class of 656. This large number was due to the fact that Boston university now has over 10,000 students enrolled, exclusive of extra-mural courses. Bishop Charles Lewis Slattery, Bishop Coadjutor of the Protestant Episcopal Diocese of Massachusetts, delivered the Commencement address before the faculties, students and two thousand guests.

Of these 900 students, two thirds come from Massachusetts, 34 other states are represented and 12 foreign counties, including Mexico, Canada, Newfountland, Porto Rico, Philippine Islands, Java, China, Japan, Siam, New Zealand, Portugal and Norway. The largest number of foreign students come from China and Japan.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Moody and children of Fort Worth, returned to their home today after a visit with friends and relatives in the city.

NOTED PLAYERS IN PICTURE

In addition to the principals of the cast, eight other actors and actresses appear in Allan Dwan's Paramount production, "The Glimpses of the Moon," which comes to the National theatre Thursday. They are Beth Allen, Mrs. George Peggram, Dolores Costello, Millie Muller, Beatrice Coburn, Fred Hadley, Robert Lee Keeling and Barton Adams. There players have important bits in the picture in which Bebe Daniels and Nita Naldi are featured and with David Powell Maurice Costello, Rubye de Remer and Charles Gerrard leading in the support.

AMARILLO—City authorities are considering the transportation problem and making examination to decide whether the belt line cars shall be continued in view of the cost of the service by the municipality.

ONE CASUALTY JUNESTEENTH

HOUSTON, June 20.—Only one negro was seriously injured during the "Junesteenth" celebrations here yesterday. Percy McMillan is in a hospital with a slashed jugular vein and may die as the reslult of an argument during the festivities.

INCARCERATED THE CAT

KANSAS CITY.—"Blackie", big Tom cat, was locked up by authorities, for "poaching" gold fish from the aquarium in Huron Park here. Several small boys suspected of the poaching were released.

DALLAS—Construction on the new addition of the Dallas Power and Light company's generating station here is making progress so that it is probable a part of the equipment may be installed the latter part of the summer. The concrete smokstack, which will be the tallest in the country is now more than forty feet high.

Mrs. Ben Howard has as her guest Mrs. E. E. Rains of Oklahoma City,

SAN ANGELO—Two ice factories in this city have been asquired by the West Texas Ice company of which G. W. Fry of Abilene is president. The two plants have a daily capacity of 100 tons.

From: Texas Public Service Information Bureau, Dallas 6-19.

LOST—Black bill fold, contained two or three $5.00 bills and Masonic receipts made to Oley Hale. Return to News office and receive reward. 20D2

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished two room apartments. $4 and $5 per week. 812 E. Palestine street 20L4

Tom Nolan is in Corsicana every day now, going up each morning to take charge of the office of Nolas and Day in that place.

100 copies of sheet music, all the latest hits on sale Saturday at only 25c the copy. The Peoples Variety Store.

SHERIFF'S SALE

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a certain Pluries Execution issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Collin County, on the 30th day of May, 1923, in a certain cause wherein Collin County Mill & Elevator Company, plaintiffs, and Blackwood & Noble Grocery Company, said corporation, and Lee Noble and R. Blackwood, and each of them jointly and severally, defendants, in which cause a judgment was rendered on the 21st day of February, 1923 in favor of the said plaintiff, Collin County Mill & Elevator Company, against said defendant, Blackwood & Noble Grocery Company, said corporation, and Lee Noble and R. Blackwood, and each of them jointly and severally, for the sum of Seventeen Hundred and Eighty Five and 87-100 Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per centum per annum from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit, I have levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday in July 1923, it being the 3rd day of said month, at Groesbeck, Texas, in Limestone County, within legal hours, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of Blackwood & Noble Grocery Company, in and to the following described personal property, levied upon as the property of Blackwood & Noble Grocery Company said corporation, and Lee Noble and R. Blackwood and of each of them jointly and severally, to-wit:

1st. tract: Situated in Limestone County, Texas, being 95½ acres of land out of the John B. Stephenson 320 acre tract of land, described as follows: Beginning at the N. E. corner of the Louis Dillon 640 acre survey, and N W C of the said John B. Stephenson survey; Thence North 60 E. 1072 vrs. to a stake for cor.; Thence South 30 E. 616 vrs. to a stake for cor.; Thence South 60 W. 525 1-5 vrs. to a stake for cor. Thence South 60 W 545½ vrs. to a stake for corner; thence North 30 W. 392½ vrs. to the place of beginning, containing 95½ acres of land conveyed to Richard Blackwood by W. M. Baldridge, by deed dated October 29th, 1909, and recorded in Vol. 60, page 115, Deed Records of Limestone County, Texas.

2nd tract: Situated in Limestone County, Texas, being 150 acres of land out of the 2-3 league and labor survey, patented to P. S. McNeel by Pat. No. 303 vol. 6 abst. No. 340. Beginning at a point on the SWL. of said survey 2380 vrs. S. 30 E. from the NW. corner thereof, said beginning point being the SW. corner of the 100 acre tract out of said survey, conveyed to J. E. Riddle by Geo. Goldwait, by deed dated Sept. 29th, 1897, and recorded in Book 13, page 91, the Deed Records of the said County, Thence S. 30 E. 507 vrs. passing an ell corner of said McNeel survey, continuing in all 1400 vrs. to a stake in prairie; thence N. 60 E. 605 vrs. a stake; thence N. 30 W. 1400 vrs. a stake; thence S. 60 W. 605 vrs. to the place of beginning, and being the same land conveyed to Louis Boiling Trustee, by R. Blackwood and wife by deed of trust dated Nov. 27th, 1918, recorded in vol. 6, page 35 Deed of Trust Records of Limestone County, Texas."

The above sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgment for $1,785.87 in favor of Collin County Mill & Elevator Company, together with the costs of said suit, and the proceeds applied to the satisfaction thereof.

White Popejoy,
Sheriff Limestone County, Texas.
By N. P. Harris, Deputy.
Groesbeck, Texas, June 8th, 1923.
(11-18-25)

GILMER—Extensive improvements to the plant of the Gilmer Ice and Light company here are to be made at once. Among other things the use of coal and wood as fuel will be changed to oil.

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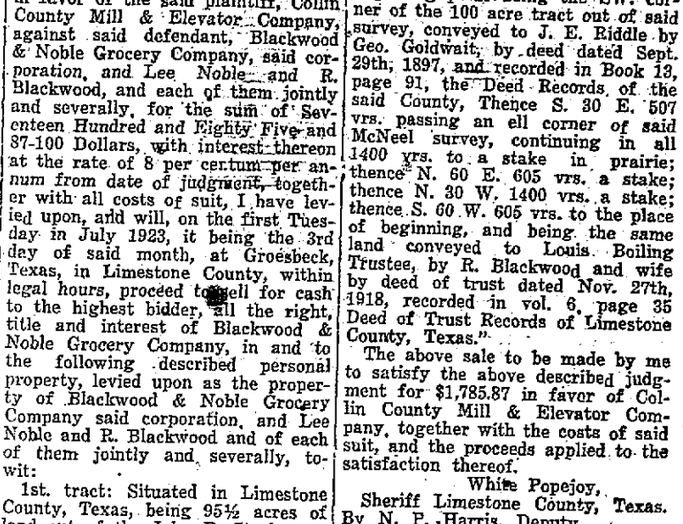

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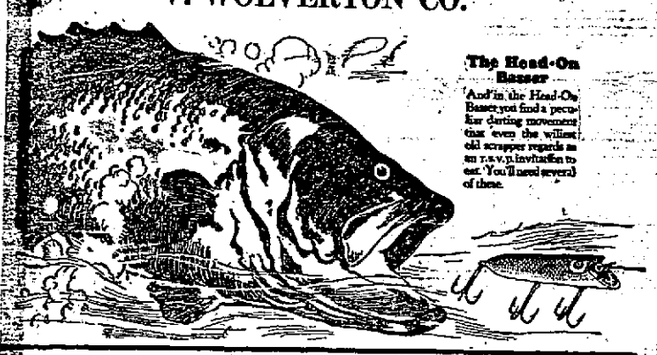

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SALUTATORY

Miss Janie Berry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Berry of this city, class Salutatorian for the graduating class of the Mexia High school, at the recent commencement exercises, presented the following admirable address:

Friends and Fellow Classmates:

In approaching the responsibility of this occasion I am possessed with a spirit both akin to gladness and sorrow. I find myself exultant because of the happy culmination of the long and laborous years in public school; but when I think of the dear friends and teachers whose love counsel and comradeship have lent so much of joy and happiness to my life, have removed many obstacles from life's rugged pathway, then a feeling of sorrow comes o'er me in the thought that these happy and pleasant associations are to be no more.

This eventful night closes an epoch in our lives and brings us to the parting of the ways where each must take up his march of life's eventful journey and do valiant service, or falter by the roadside.

"I do not know beneath what sky
Nor on what sea's shall be thy fate;
I only know it shall be high
I only know it shall be great."

When we consider the happy privilege afforded us on this occasion of occupying for the first time this beautiful and completely appointed auditorium of our High School building, our hearts are made to rejoice and we are moved almost to envy to our successors of '23 and '24 as well as all of the classes to follow in the years to come, because of the magnificient and beautiful High School building designed and directed for their moral, physical and intellectuual welfare. May those who pass through its portals reflect the purpose and spirit of its inception and cast a halo of unspeakable glory around its history. While we rejoice in the progress thus far made and the achievements wrought, it were well to remember that our education is in no wise complete. To the contrary, we have only laid the foundation and the superstructure is yet to be built. We have only gathered a few pebbles from the strands of the ocean of knowledge while the ocean itself lies far beyond Let us not be misled and cast anchor among the reefs and shoals. There never existed in the history of our country a more crying demand and need for real men and women than exists today. (We note the barracks of our standing armies with rolling drum and fluttering flags as points of strength and protection. But the citizen, upright, patriotic and unafraid, consecrated to the service of humanity shall save this Republic when the drum tap is futile, and the barracks are deserted.) There comes to the boy and the girl, the young man and yong womuan of today, the clarion call of duty and with the stentorian voice, paints the way to life or service, lifted above and beyond the murky slime of selfishness. May the young men and young women who go out from this splendid institution be prepared to answer that call as becomes patriotic American citizens.

My friends in extending to you a hearty welcome and assurance of our good will, we want you to know that your interest in our welfare and your patient forbearance of the faults which too often manifested themselves in our conduct, have been a source of inspiration to us and spurred us on to nobler and higher aspirations.

Kind and with patient tolerance our Superintendent and teachers have removed the chaff that we might find the golden grains of knowledge. Bearing in heart and in mind the splendor of our school days the kindly admonition and wisdom of our teachers, and their loving comradeship, let us hope that whatever in us was unworthy has faded and that which was good will abide through the years to come.

I should feel that my duty on this occasion were only remotely performed should I not make grateful acknowledgement on behalf of the faculty, class, and student body of Mexia High School to our progressive Board of Education for this magnificient building. It is indeed an outstanding monument which is a credit to our splendid citizenship and marks an epoch in the history of our progressive city. All honor to those who made possible this glorious enterprise.

With hearts full of gratitude to all who have contributued in any way to whatever success we may have attained, we fervently hope that those of us who go out from dear old Mexia High this year, may add lustre to her name and glory to her history.

"There are gems of wondrous brightness
Oftimes lying at our feet;
And we pass them, walking thoughtless
Down the busy crowded street.
If we knew our pace would slacken
We would step more oft with care
Lest our careless feet be treading
To the earth some jewel rare."

WORK OF EMPLOYMENT BUREAU

FORT WORTH, Texas, June 20—The Municipal employment bureau here found work for 361 men during the moth of May, according to a report filed at the City Hall by W. S. George, manager of the agency.

Of this number 32 were carpenters, 10 cooks, 14 brick masons, 7 chauffeurs, 9 teamsters and 148 harvest hands.

ORANGE—W. E. Lea, mayor of this city, has been elected president of the Houston-Beaumont-Orange electric interurban railroad line. Construction is scheduled to begin next month.

Letters from People

WHAT CONSTITUTES A GOOD CITIZEN?

Is it one that orates on any and all occasions and gives thirty cents when the quiet man who has to scratch to make ends meet gives one hundred dollars?

Is it one that would try to make you believe and wants you to think that he is a second Jesus, when in a business transaction he would take advantage of any technicality no matter how unjust or how poor he would leave the other fellow.

Is it one that yells aloud, clean up and beautify, but lets his own place grow up in weeds and drains his sewerage on his neighbors or in the ditch in front of his neighbors house?

There are many other varieties of such citizens. Some of them get by with it, some of them get by with it in a measure and some of them not at all. A great deal depends on how much and how quick they are swelling their bank account.

I have in mind a really good citizen. One to whom providence has been very kind in the past two years and instead of spoiling him it has developed every good trait, morally, mentaly and physically. When I think back to his first coming here it is hard to realize it is the same man. This is one of the rare cases when the massing of wealth in a short time has not only not spoiled but has developed and broadened him in these attributes that we like to associate with that of a gentleman. Such a man cannot help being a good citizen, a citizen to whom all can look for leadership, the kind of leadership that counts from every standpoint and of which we need never be ashamed. He speaks and encourages when called upon but it is not Fourth of July stuff to make the other fellow go down in his pocket. It is good sensible business and all know he will do his full share. We are indeed fortunate.

There are very many and I am glad to say the majority of the residents of Mexia that are good iitizens as their means and talents allow. You cannot know, as any selfrespecting man will not air their affairs. Sickness of one or more members of their family may take every cent a man can scrape together. Investments that looked good may turn out wrong. Business may take a slump or bills becoming due that must be met. There are many things that are not what they seem, so you cannot tell the ability to give by outward appearances. You would not air your affairs to the world so have charity and do not come to hasty conclusions. It is not always what you give but rather what you live that constitutes the best citizenship. Of course, if it is so that you can combine these two, it is easier for the public to single you out.

In many hearts in this city there are ambitions and desires to do something for Mexia, ultimately these desires and ambitions may be realized but with many the mere meeting of the cost of living and promptly meeting current obligations leaves no surplus and these desires and ambitions may never be realized.

A good citizen is one that strives to meet his obligations honestly and promptly, that gives of his surplus, if he has any, just what his reason and intelligence suggests as proper. One that provides for his family and tries to make his home attractive to his family, to his neighbors and the city. One that is public spirited to the extent of his ability. One that feels in his heart that Mexia is his home and that he would rather live here than anywhere in the world.

—Sylvester Micawber.

People the Picture Of Health Often Suffer From High Blood Pressure

Many people who seem to be strong and healthy never know they have high blood pressure until they are examined for life insurance. If they have high blood pressure, their insurance is refused.

High blood pressure is usually a symptom that the poisonous wastes of the body are accumulating in the intestinal tract. Fortunately the danger signal of splitting headaches, sour stomach, palpitation of the heart, shortness of breath, ringing in the ears are present and warn us that we are liable to high blood pressure.

A well known physician has recently made a discovery of a new formula that in many cases reduces high blood pressure quickly and easily. This new preparation is put up in convenient tablet form and is called Bi-a-lin. It helps Nature reduce the blood pressure by thoroughly cleansing out the poisons which caused the heart to overtax itself in its efforts to overcome their harmful effects. Remarkable results have been reported even in obstinate and long-standing cases. Ask your druggist his opinion of Bi-a-lin and what grateful users have told him and its wonderful results. Get Bi-a-lin today and you'll be surprised to see how rapidly your distress vanishes and how quickly a wonderful new feeling of power and vigor arrives. You can get Bi-a-lin at all good druggists with a guarantee to return every cent you paid for it if you do not get wonderful results from the very first bottle.

For sale in Mexia by the Mexia Drug Company and Anderson & Gilliland.

Mrs. Clarence E. Best, sons Herold, Clarence Jr., and J. W. and daughter, Daphna, left Tuesday for Corsicana, to join her husband, who is a driller in the Powell fields near there.

To Fight Snakes With Gas Tanks

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, June 20—Prosphene, chlorine and mustard gasses are being experimented with by Major George M. Halloran, chemical warfare officer of the Eighth Corps area here in an effort to determine which will be the most efficacious in his proposed war on rattleanakes in this setion.

Phosphene gas which has the effect of stopping the heart action of any animal that breathes it was recently believed by Major Halloran to be the best.

The experiments will not begin in earnest until winter, Major Halloran stated. Tanks of the various gasses will then be taken to the snake infested areas and the results closely observed.

WICHITA FALLS—The annual convention o fthe oSuthwestern Waterworks association June 18 to 21 in this city visited the great irrigation dam now under construction and discussed the management of water plants.

HOUSTON—In a recent report to the city authorities the Houston Gas and Fuel company shows great expansion due to increase in number and needs of customers. The company is to build a new holder of about two million cubic feet in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McBride were recent visitors to Quinlan and Greenville in Hunt county, where they visited friends and where Mr. McBride saw after his farming interests. He reports that the section tributary to Sabine River in Hunt county suffered heavily from flood damage. The overflow was tremendous, he says, washing hundreds of scores of oats in shock away. He had to leave his auto there and Mr. and Mrs. McBride returned on the train.

Pleasanton—Many improvements in the service have been made by Pleasanton Water and Light company since the company took over the plant from the city. High tension transmission lines are being constructed to connect the plant with Jourdonton, Charlotte and Poteet.

CHILDRESS—The second of three new 500 horsepower engines is now being installed by the Childress Light and Ice company here. The company is also receiving material for a high-tension line to carry power to the railroad shops.

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"My wife uses it for headache and biliousness. It sets on our shelf and we don't let it get out. It has been a great help to us. I believe a great deal of sickness is caused by hurried eating and constipation, and Black-Draught, if taken right, will correct this condition."

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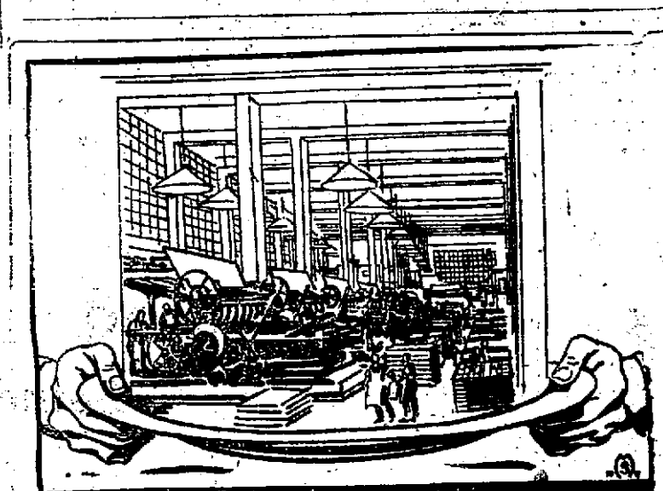

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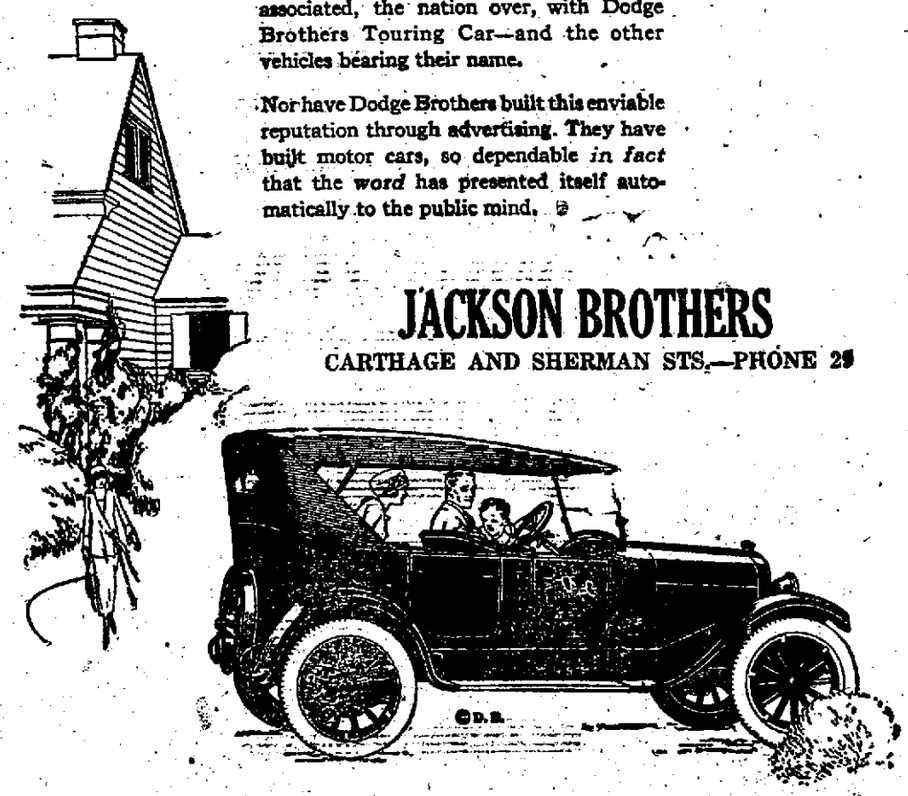

JACKSON BROTHERS
CARTHAGE AND SHERMAN STS.—PHONE 25

ANNA Q. NILSSON

NATIONAL THEATRE TODAY

TWENTY ACRES OF PINES BURNED

In staging the tremendous forest fire in Reginald Barker's production, "Hearts Aflame," at the National theatre, Mr. Barker has created a spectacle that will stand for a long time as one of the really great achievements of the screen, and serve as a standard for similar scenes in photoplays.

Magnificently terrifying, the fire sweeps across the screen, turning twenty acres of beautiful, towering pines to a cinder-strewn waste. In ten minutes it destroys what Nature took a hundred years to build. It is a sight never to be forgotten. Starting at the top of a ridge in the background and rushing down towards the camera with terrific leaps and bounds, the fire envelopes the entire forest in less than a minute.

And through the blaze, in plain view of the spectator, Anna Q. Nilsson drives a locomotive, sticking courageously to the throttle in spite of the flames that lick along the cab and dart in through the windows with every new scorching draft of air. The object of her wild ride is to secure powder to dynamite a ridge and save the women and children in the valley settlement beyond, and the fulfillment of her brave mission furnishes one of the greatest thrills in screen history.

Technically, the making of the forest fire scene was a stupendous project. For many and obvious reasons, the conflagration could not be started in the woods, so the forest had to be built eepecially for "Hearts Aflame." Two months were spent in uprooting the pine trees in the mountains, carrying them down to the location, and replanting them at the mouth of Pacoima Canyon in the San Fernando valley. As the trucks traveled in trains of five, all transporting had to be done at night to avoid other traffic.

Twenty cameras, the largest number ever used at one time on a scene, constituted the lens battery, and forty spot lights and three great army searchlights lit up the players who worked in various parts of the burning forest. Altogether, the electrical equipment employed approximated $85,000 in value. There were five motor generators, three of the largest transformers in Southern California, four miles of cable, numberless ordinary studio lamps, and a built-in 15,000 volt high tension line which conneeted with the main line of the Edison service a mile from the location.

During the five nights required for filming the long shots and close-ups of the fire scenes, there were never less than three hundred people engaged on the location. This number included the director and his staff, the production staff, cameramen, electricians, police, forest rangers, laborers, carpenters, drivers for the emergency cars, and the corps of utility men. A medical tent was erected on the grounds and two doctors and a nurse were on hand all during the making of the scenes to render first aid.

In order that Mr. Barker might be in constant touch with every camera and forest ranger station, a field telephone service was installed.

"Hearts Aflame" was produced for Louis B. Mayer. It is a Metro release. The photoplay is based on the novel "Timber," by Harold Titus. In the cast are Frank Keenan and Anna Q. Nilsson.

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July number "American Magazine" on sale Wednesday at News Stand—E. J. Ormsby, front of Mexia Drug store. 19R2

Classified want ads for "The Dallas News" taken at the Pioneer News Stand. 20d3

Fourth of July Fight Promoters Raising $300,000

By HENRY L. FARRELL.

....United Press Staff Correspondent.....

SHELBY, Mont., June 20.—Promoters and managers of the Dempsey-Gibbons fight scheduled for Fourth of July started Tuesday to raise the final $100,000 installment of the $300,000 purse guaranteed the champion.

Dan Tracy, representative of the Great Falls bankers, who advanced the money to meet the second payment, says he wishes to obtain the final installment as soon a possible and deposit it in the bank to Dempsey's credit. It is due July 2.

The books of the promoters in the Shelby office were turned over yesterday to the supervisors and auditors. Tracy said he wanted it understood that the auditing of the books was merely a formality and was no reflection upon the staff that has been handling the tickets and the money.

Mike Collins, who made the Dempsey-Gibbons match for the promoters, confirmed reports that a fight card would be staged in the arena July 3, the day before the big bout. Three 10-round contests with Jimmy Delaney, St. Paul and Jack Burke, Pittsburgh, light-heavyreights in the main event, will be put on.

Collins said that as soon as he had completed preliminaries for the Dempsey-Gibbons fight, his connection with the organization would be severed.

"I was hired as matchmaker and director of publicity, and as soon as I arrange the preliminaries on the big card my responsibility will cease," he said. "I have nothing to do with the money or the tickets."

Kearns said he had heard some 4 to 1 money had been offered that Dempsey would retain the championship. Kane offered to take $20,000 of the money.

Spooks Menacing Palestine People

PALESTINE, Texas, June 20—A mellow glowing "Will 'o the Wisp" whhci vanishes when approached is being observed in a cemetery here by hundreds of people.

The light has puzzled citizens here for months and the mystery is far from solution. The light is seen apparently about four or five hundred feet from the Spring road and can only be seen from one vantage point. If one attempts to approach it it fades away and disappears.

One of the theories advanced is that the "ghost light" is only the reflection of some distant light on a tomb stone. Persons who have watched the "Will 'o the Wisp" are inclined to scout this theory for they say there is no other light in the vicinity.

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July number "Hearsts" and "Good Housekeeping" on sale today. Pioneer News Stand, Mexia Drug Store corner. 19R2

Dallas Preparing For Big Crowd The Coming Fall

DALLAS, June 20—Two and perhaps three special trains will be operated to bring guests into Dallas during the fall marketing season in August.

"Magic Valley" buyers will have one of the specials at their disposal. This special will be made up at San Antonio and will include special cars from Mission, Laredo, Brownsville, Corpus Christi, Del Rio and San Antonio.

The second train will be made up at Marshall and will take care of buyers from Lousiana and Arkansas. Special cars will be run from Shreveport, Alexander, Texarkana and Marshall.

While no plans have been made, a third train is being considered.

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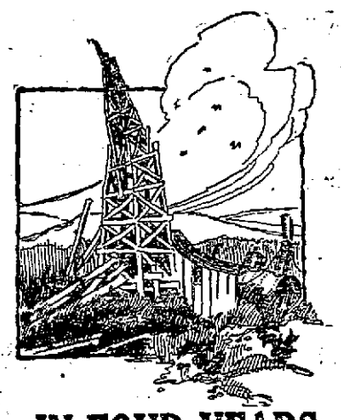

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FORMER CHAMPION RECOVERING EYESIGHT

Former bantamweight champion Pete Herman, shown here with his little daughter in his home in New Orleans, Louisiana, is rapidly resovering his eyesight. In a fight two years ago with Midget Smith, Herman became totally blind as a result of blows in the face. After the gamest fight of his career, he is slowly recovering and hopes to be able to become a manager of a stable of prize fighters. His boxing days are over.

Harding Challenges Canadian Official

Declaring he would play his first game of golf on a Canadian course during his forthcoming visit to Vancouver, B. C., on his return from Alaska, President Harding has challenged Lieutenant-Governor W. C. Nichol to meet him in an 18-hole match on July 26.

SCREEN DEATHS FOR M. COSTELLO EXCITE NO FEAR

Maurice Costello has died so many times, in so many ways on the screen that he thought there were no new deaths for him to portray. But Director Allan Dwan prepared another variety of "passing out" for the veteran screen player in his new Paramount production. "The Glimpses of the Moon," which comes to the National theatre, Thursday, and in which Bebe Daniels and Nita Naldi are featured.

In fifteen years before the camera, during which time he starred in several hundred photoplays, ranging from one reelers to feature length productions, Mr. Costello has protrayed almost every kind of death for the ingenious scenario writers and directors have been able to devise for him. He met the noble death of "Sidney Carton" in "The Tale of Two Cities" and the ignominious end of Benedict Arnold, as well as all the intervening shades of the art of dying. He has been strangled and choked and shot and beaten to death, and out of it all has come the ability to simulate death so well that not even the revealing close-up is able to catch signs of life when Costello feigns death on the screen.

In his role of "Fred Gillow" in "The Glimpses of the Moon," Mr. Costello comes to a violent end by falling over a balustrade nine feet to the floor of a lodge at St. Moritz. This fall is the result of his effort to stop his wife, played by Nita Naldi, from leaving his home because he has ordered Nick Lansing, whom she loves to leave the house.

Mr. Costello made the fall himself, and Paramount screen patrons will witness one of the most breath-taking scenes ever filmed, when they see Maurice Costelo and a new post, which he clutched, go crashing through the air to seemingly certain destruction. David Powell is leading man in the production.

A GOOD OLD DAD

NEW YORK.—Harris Mandelbaum, real estate operator, has given his son a wedding gift of $1,000,000. A year ago he gave his daughter, Mrs. Beatrice Bacharach, a like gift.

NEW YORK.—Mrs. Nicolina Barbini suddenly dropped while walking with two women companions. There was bullet wounds in both her legs. No shots were heard.

Miss Alice Hankins of Corsicana is in Mexia for a few days visit with her friend, Miss Annie Lou Karner.

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SPORTLIGHTS

W. R.

Seems that the boys are having some time trying to cinch the first half of the pennant race. They just could not hit Andrews of the Bathers Tuesday at the right time, although they nicked him for seven hits during the fray.

Stoval lost his first road game of the year to Marlin Tuesday when they fell on his offerings for ten hits that coupled with an error counted for seven runs.

This fellow Clements, short stop for the Austin Rangers, is no mean ball player by any means. He has one of the most perfect throws and when the ball leaves his hand it is going like a bullet. Although he is no Babe Ruth at bat, he swats some that would break up many a good ball game.

Austin has, what I consider, the best club in the league. With Don Flynn, McElwee and Cecil Griggs in the out field, they have one more hard hitting crew of gardeners. All of them are old heads and have been playing base ball for the last—? years.

They have a nice pitching staff composed of Brooks, Collins, Whitworth, Fleharty and Johnson, who can turn out good pitching at any time.

I phophesy that the last half of the race will be between Mexia and Austin and with things running like they have been for the last few days it is mighty hard to say which one will have the edge on the other.

We went out to see Claude Bryan Tuesday afternoon and the nurses had him out in a rolling chair on the front lawn, where he could enjoy the sunshine and see things on the street.

They sure have been good to Claude, sending him candy, fruit, reading material and goodness knows what all. The nurses had his foot decorated with flowers and he seemed to be enjoying life with all ease.

Claude appreciates the visits of his many friends and he is always anxious We felt kinda bad when we had to tell him that the Gushers went under to the Marlin Bathers and all of the comment that he had to make was "Aint it pitiful."

Falk, second baseman for Austin, said that the Gushers would miss Claude alright and that Bryan of Mexia and Chatham of the Bathers had robbed the other teams of the circuit of more base hits than any other player in the league.

The Mexia Black Gushers bowed to the Beaumont Black Exporters Tuesday, in a double header at their park west of town. The Exporters won the first game by the score of 9 to 6 and the second game, which was five innings by agreement, by the score of 4 to 2.

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

Coming from behind twice, the Senators won from the Cleveland Indians in the ninth.

The White Sox staged clouting bees in the fifth and ninth, garnered two homers and drove Harris from the mound, defeating the Athletics.

Westerzil's scratch single in the ninth brought in the run that broke a 3 to 3 tie, and Golveston won from Dallas, 4 to 3.

With ragged support, Sell, Houston pitcher, lost his first game. Wichita Falls making it three out of four by winning 6 to 1.

Allen, Beaumont center fielder who relieved Bradshaw in the box, was unable to stop the Fort Worth sluggers and the Exporters lost, 11 to 4.

An abundance of hits and errirs featured Shreveport's victory over San Antonio, 12 to 8.

Mrs. Owen F. Watkins is in Gatesville where she is on a visit with relatives. Judge Watkins accompanied her there last week but returned the early part of this week to his home here.

The Kitty Bond Wesley Bible Class will meet in social meeting at the home of Mrs. Dr. Metcalf, Thursday at 4:30 p. m. She will be assisted by Mrs. Blake Smith and Mrs. M. Y. Beeson, as hostesses. All members are expected.

Mrs. Jeanie Richardson of Fort Worth is here spending a few days with friends and looking after some business interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Womack and family have moved for the summer out to their summer home at the Reunion Grounds.

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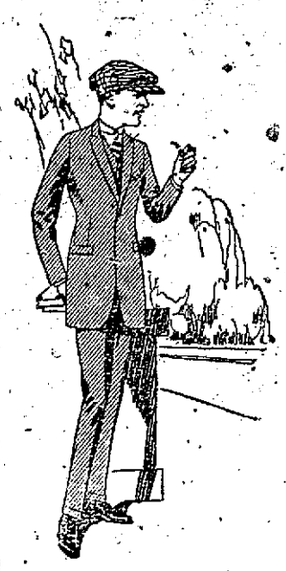

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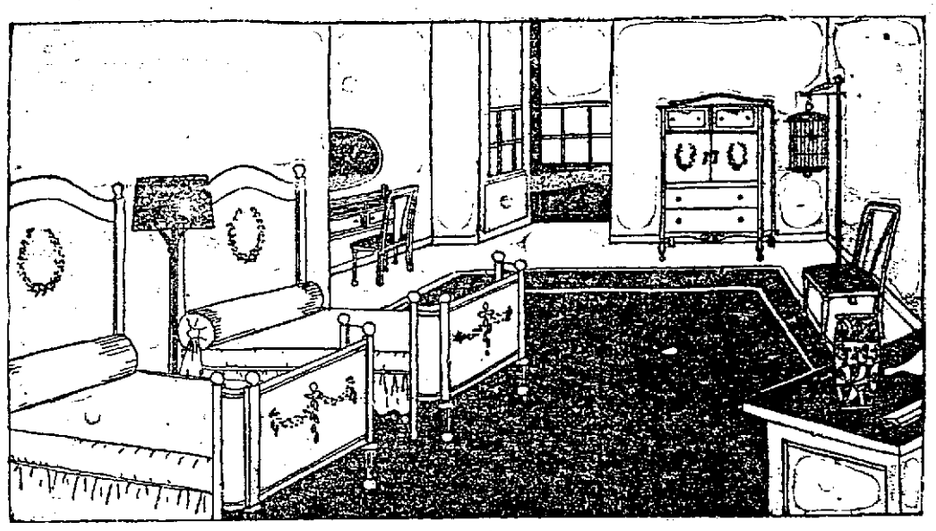

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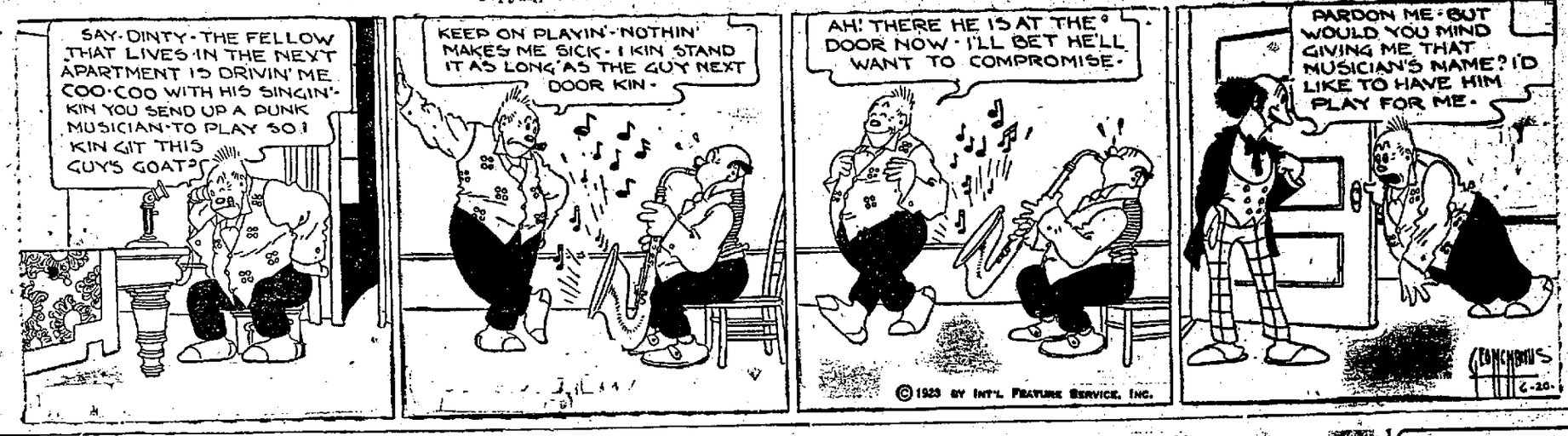
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This relic is a cotton dress some 200 years old. The garment was made by Mrs. Chism, Stone's great great-great grandmother-in-law who picked, carded, spun and wove the cotton herself. She also dyed the dress in its various colors.

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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION
NO. 16

Proposing an amendment to Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, which relates to taxation and revenues, by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 9a, directing the Legislature to provide for the construction, operation and maintenance, under State control, of a State system of public highways; providing for an election for the ratification or rejection of amendment herein proposed, and making an appropriation to defray the expense of said election.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That there be submitted to the people of Texas, for ratification or rejection at a special election provided for herein an amendment to Article 8, of the Constitution of the the State of Texas, amending said Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 9a, which shall read as follows:

Section 9a. The Legislature is authorized and directed to provide for the creation, establishment, construction, maintenance and repair of a system of improved highways throughout the State to be under the control of the State; and in order that the State may provide the means, revenues and instrumentalities the establishment and maintenance of such system of highways, the Legislature is empowered to levy and cause to be collected specific excise and ad valorem taxes, in addition of those permitted for other purposes in the Constitution, but such an ad valorem tax shall be imposed only for the purpose of retiring the bonds authorized by vote of the people of this State as provided for hereinafter in this Section.

When said system shall have been designated and taken over for the State as provided in Section A hereof, the Legislature is authorized to make provision for the equitable compensation to such counties for the value of such improvements as have been theretofore constructed by the Counties in the State.

Provided, also that save for the State highway system, in all other respects, Counties shall have the right to build, construct and maintain roads, turnpikes, and bridges within their respective boundaries and the Constitutional provisions relating thereto are not qualified or repealed by reason hereof.

The Legislature, at any Regular or Special Session, is authorized and directed to pass and enact all appropriate legislation necessary to carry out and effectuate the purpose and intent of these Articles.

Sec. 2. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to cause to be issued his necessary proclamation for an election to be held on the fourth Saturday in July, 1923, at which election this amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of this State for adoption or rejection and shall make the publication required by the Constitution and Laws of the State. Said election shall be held under and in accordance with the General Election Laws of the State, and the ballots for said election shall have printed or written thereon in plain letters the following words:

"OFFICIAL BALLOT": "For the amendment to Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for a State system of highways." "Against the amendment to Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for a State system of highways."

Those voters who favor such amendment shall erase by marking a line through the words "Against the Amendment to Article 8, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for a State system of high ways." Those who oppose such amendment shall erase by marking a line through them, the words, "For the amendment to Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for a State system of highways." And the result of the election shall be published and declared according to the majority of the votes cast in such election.

Sec. 3. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purpose of paying the necessary expenses of the proclamation and publication of this amendment and the election to be held hereunder.

S. L. STAPLES,
Secretary of State.
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STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Limestone.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Bexar County, of the 2nd day of June, 1923, by the District Clerk of said Bexar County, for the sum of $2,010.17 and costs of suit, under an Order of Sale and Foreclosure Lien, in favor of Ethel T. Drought and H. P. Drought, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 32790B and styled H. P. Drought & Company vs. J. H. Gibson et al, placed in my hands for service, I, Whit Popejoy as sheriff of Limestone ounty, Texas, did, on the 5th day of June 1923, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Limestone county, Texas, described as follows to-wit: All that certain tract of land, being eighty seven and one fourth (87¼) acres out of the N. C. Rojon Eleven Leagues in Limestone County, Texas, described as follows: Beginning at the Southwest corner of the 36 acre tract of land, conveyed by A. A. Jayne to N. S. Archer by deed recorded in book 55 page 485 Deed Records of Limestone county, Texas; thence North 35 West 540 varas to the Northwest corner of said tract, a stake on the South line of a 269 acre tract sold by Holiday to McKenzie; Thence South 55 West 104 varas; thence North 35 West 63 varas; thence South 56 west 321 varas to the upper Southwest corner of said 269 acre tract, this point being the northwest corner of a 65 acre tract heretofore conveyed to R. E. Wills by I. Shields; thence North 35 West 167 varas, more or less, to the Northeast corner of a 21¼ acre tract conveyed to R. E. Wills by P. K. McKenzie, this point being the Southeast corner of Sam Cox's home tract; thence South 55 West 294 varas to stake in branch; thence in a southeasterly direction with the meanders of said branch to the Southeast corner of said 21¼ acre tract, and the Southwest corner of the 65 acre tract hereinabove mentioned, a stake in said branch; thence North 55 East 425 varas to the place of beginning, and levied upon as the property of J. H. Gibson and wife, Laura Gibson, and I. B. Sadler and that on the first Tuesday in July, 1923, the same being the 3rd day of said month, at the Court House door of Limestone County in the town of Groesbeck, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale, I will sell above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said J. H. Gibson and wife, Laura Gibson, and I. B. Sadler.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Mexia Daily News, a newspaper published in Limestone County.

Witness my hand, this 5th day of June, 1923.

Whit Popejoy,
Sheriff Limestone County, Texas.
By N. P. Harris, Deputy. (7-14-21)

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Limestone.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Limestone County, of the 5th day of June 1923, by the District Clerk of said Limestone for the sum of Fifteen Hundred Nine-three 62-100 ($1593.62) Dollars and costs of suit under an Order of Sale and Attachment, in favor of Bradford Supply Company, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 3464B and styled Bradford Supply Company vs. Revere Oil Company, placed in my hands for service, I, Whit Popejoy, as Sheriff of Limestone county, Texas, did, on the 6th day of June, 1923, levy on certain Personal Property situated in Limestone County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

One Standard Oil Rig complete.
One Ajax Engine 12x12, complete.
One Rubber Drilling Belt.
2 Bull ropes.
1 4½ inch drilling stem.
2 6⅝ bits.
4075 feet ⅞ drilling line.
1 set 5½ drilling jars.
2 5 inch floor wrenches.
Jack and circle complete.
16 ⅞ inch control head.
Crane and hoist complete.
1 set 5½ inch three pronge grabs.
1 half section boiler top.
2 3-2 inch floor wrenches.
4100 feet of sand line 9-16 inch.
2 3-16 bitts.
1 oil spider 12½ inch with ring.
1 40 H. P. boiler.
1 250 bbl. steel tank.
1 1600 gal. wooden tank.
15 joints 10 inch casing.
24 joints 6⅝ inch casing.
20 joints 4 inch pipe line and rotary.
About one mile of 4 inch pipe line.
One 4 H. P. Nova water engine, complete, No. 5S58A.
One Pyle generator, Type E.
2 steel tool boxes.
3645 feet 6⅝ casing in hole.

And all of the leasehold estate for Oil and Gas rights in and under and that may be produced from Block 1 and Block 2 in Bratton's Addition to the town of Kosse, Texas, and shown on the map and plat of said addition made by R. S. Hunnicutt, all pipe and connections located thereon or used in connection therewith, and levied upon as the property of Revere Oil Company, and that on the 20th of June, 1923, the same being the 20th day of said month, at Kosse, Texas, in Limestone County, in the town of Kosse, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale and Attachment, I will sell said above described personal property at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Revere Oil Company.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Mexia Daily News, a newspaper published in Limestone County.

Witness my hand, this 6th day of June, 1923.

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The losses and costs borne by the government and the people of the United States from unsound money experiments, from colonial times down, doubtless total more than our staggering World War appropriations, it is declared by E. E. Agger, an authority on economics, in the Journal of the American Bankers' Association. "Cheap money," he says, is very costly, since frenzied finance, speculation and business disaster have invariably followed in the wake of unsound currency. He cites historical experience showing that widows and orphans were among the chief sufferers.

"New generations of adults, like children, have to learn over and over again that, when playing with fire, one runs the risk of being burned," Mr. Agger says. "Indulging currency heresies constitutes such an adult playing-with-fire. A glance over our own historical experience would demonstrate this to the most ardent 'easy money' advocate, but such advocates are usually those to whom history is 'bunk.'

Soft Money Advocates Seek Profit

"Unfortunately those who are willing to kindle the kind of conflagration involved in 'soft-money' experimentation are not the only ones hurt. Indeed, they may extort an advantage for themselves. But the record is all too clear concerning the mass of people. Heavy losses, injustice, disorganized production and numerous other evils are inevitable.

"Unsound money projects impose heavy costs on the government itself. The first effect of cheap money is to raise prices. Mounting prices mean that, to meet its needs, the government must appropriate always larger sums. Again, dallying with unsound money weakens the government's credit. Prospective bond buyers become hesitant when currency depreciation is threatened, because there is danger of agitation toward the payment of government obligations in the cheaper money rather than in specie. Any such weakening of goverment credit means lower prices received for bonds, consequently greater burdens on the Treasury. Assuming that, in the end, sound principles triumph, the indulgences of the unsound currency days leave further costs to be met. If paper money has been issued it must be redeemed. If a government be unwilling to stoop to repudiation it must raise much more in taxes to pay for the paper money than it received at the time of issue."

The total effect of paper issues in increasing the cost of the Civil War is estimated at about $600,000,000, Mr. Agger says, continuing:

"Much more serious than the costs of unsound currency to the government are the heavy direct and indirect costs imposed upon the people. Our productive system is controlled through prices, and the upset of prices, caused by a depreciating currency, interferes with the proper harmonizing of the different lines of production. Price changes are not instantaneously or uniformly effected throughout the whole system. The result of an inflationary movement is a stimulation of speculation and over-investment in some lines, with inadequate development in other lines. The period of speculation seems a period of prosperity, but how false and unsound is such prosperity is disclosed in the stress and agony of the inevitable period of liquidation which, Nemesis-like, follows on the heels of the boom."

Wealth Unfairly Re-distributed

Mr. Agger then describes "the distressing effects of an unsound money on the distribution of wealth among classes and individuals. Cheapening money through inflationary expedients is a gigantic fraud upon the creditor classes as against debtors. All those dependent on fixed incomes, or receiving specified sums in terms of money, are penalized when the purchasing power of money is depressed. In like manner the stockholder profits at the expense of the bondholder—a fact which implies a reward to the more speculatively inclined at the expense of the conservative.

"Advancing prices cause discontent and give rise to agitation and unrest among those whose incomes cannot promptly be adjusted to meet higher living costs. Strikes are fomented and production is curtailed. Everybody shares in these burdens. Lack of stability in money also undermines and weakens habits of thrift. A corrosion of the moral integrity of the people is inevitable. Dishonesty is stimulated and a desire to gain by speculation rather than to earn a livelihood by productive and useful labor causes a marked deterioration in popular habits and character."

EDISONS'S SON GETS JOB WITHOUT QUESTIONNAIRE

Although he is opposed to colleges, Thomas A. Edison, the electrical wizard, sent his son, T. M. Edison, through Massachusetts Institute of Technology, in Boston. Young Edison is shown here receiving his degree as electrical engineer from President Samuel W. Stratton. Edison left at once for his father's plant in Orange, New Jersey, where he got a job without having to answer the famous Edison questionnaire.

BORDER BONE DRY

WASHINGTON, June 20.—Appropriations for the establishment of a "border patrol" approximately 1,000 men to police the Canadian and Mexican borders and make the United States "air tight" against the "bootlegging" of aliens into the country, may soon be asked of oCngress.

This was indicated by Secretary of Labor Davis today following a conferenec with Assistant Secretary White. The latter was called before Davis to report on a conference held recently in oMntreal between officials of the Labor Department and United States immigration inspectors stationed along the Canadian border. This conference was held to devise measures to stop the illegal entrance o faliens into the United States through Canada.

Announcement has been made by the Southern Pacific Railway Company that they have installed a special package car service from Mexia to Corsicana. Freight loaded in the station any time previous to noon will be delivered at Corsicana next morning. This service is given daily except on Sunday. They will handle all classes of merchandise usually shipped in package cars. This service will be open to shippers of oil field supplies, groceries, and any other class of shipable merchandise.

This means that the car is loaded here in Mexia and is carried to Corsicana without being opened and is unloaded there.

FOR SALE—$57 Rex typewriter, guaranteed practically as good as new, $15 takes it. See P. J. Bounds at News or call at 210 S. Ross.

Grafton Moody, of Coolidge was a Mexia visitor Wednesday.

GOVERNING BODY OF KLAN IN SECRET SESSION NOW IS CONSIDERING DR. EVANS

ATLANTA, Ga., June 20.—The kloncilium, governing body of the Ku Klux Klan, issued behind closed doors here today charges of mismanagement preferred recently against Imperial Wizard H. W. Evans in a petition for receivership of the order.

Emperor William Joseph Sommons and Imperial Kludd (or chaplain) Dr. C. A. Ridley, with two other Klan officials withdrew from the conference today, it was reported, when they disagreed as to action to be taken relative to the accusations.

Simmons and his faction are said to favor condemnation of the Evans regime.

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Tom Nolan is in Corsicana every day now, going up each morning to take charge of the office of Nolan and Day in that place.

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TYPE OF ROAD

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Uvalde rock asphalt topping, or some other bituminous surfacing of equal value. This announcement was received with gratification and all those present were highly pleased to hear Colonel Humphreys say that work would likely begin with in the next three weeks.

The type of road to be built, it has been estimated, can be construced at the rate of about a mile a month so it would therefore seem, on its face, that it is highly important to have construction begin at once.

There were several matters discussed by the Board that were referred to the Industrial Committee, among them being a Creamery proposition and an Abattoir proposition. The secretary was instructed to work out details with the Industrial Committee.

On a report from the Secretary it was instructed to invite Col. R. C. Duff, president of the Waco, Beaumont, Trinity and Sabine Railroad company to visit Mexia on Monday or Tuesday June 25 or 26th and in line with this instruction a letter was sent to Col. Duff Tuesday night and a report will be made to the public on receipt of his reply.

The following resolution regarding the work of President Geo. E. Petty was unanimously passed. One of the Directors exclaimed when the resolution was offered, "You cannot make it too strong for me."

"On account of the highly efficient, patriotic and unselfish service of our fellow townsman, Geo. E. Petty as President of this organization during the year just passed.

Be It Resolved, that this Board of Directors unanimously goes on record in an expression of thanks and appreciation to our retiring President.

That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Mr. Petty by the Secretary.

That a copy be given the Daily News, and

That it be made a part of the record and minutes of this organization.

Be It Further Resolved, that this shall be an invitation to him to attend our councils at all times and to continue to make the office of the Chamber of Commerce his headquarters."

Since writing the above a telegram has been received from Col. R. C. Duff that he must be in St. Louis and New York next week and would be unable to visit Mexia until the latter part of July.

Evidences that The Mexia Daily News Circulation Campaign is meeting with the approval of the reading public continue to pour into the office. A number of rural subscribers came in yesterday and took advantage of the reduced rates and each mail brings us several new subscribers. This bargain rate will only last until July 15th and after that date we will positively go back to the original price. See your neighbor today and form a club to take advantage of this liberal offer that cannot be duplicated. We are offering you a daily paper for the price of a weekly. We want to place our paper in every home in the Mexia trade territory and particularly on the rural routes out of Mexia. If you have a friend or relative outside of the zone designated that you would like to have the paper mailed to, you may include it in your club at club rates. Our special offer is for mail subscriptions only, and does not apply to subscriptions where delivered by carrier.

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